## The Cane Creek Cookbook



# Cane Creek Baptist Church Orange County, $\mathcal{N} . C$. <br> Established 1789 

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## Introduction

The Cane Creek community is nestled in the center of Orange County, North Carolina. For over 200 years, Cane Creek Baptist Church has served as a focal point of the community. A picture of tranquillity, Cane Creek Baptist Church is surrounded by rolling hills and sprawling farmland. Still an active dairy farming community, some of the farms have been in the same families for more than five generations.

Many changes have taken place in our community during recent years. New families have moved into the area. "The store" is now an auto repair garage, and bicyclists come in droves to cruise the curves and hills of Dairyland and Orange Grove Roads. Through all of the changes, the people of our community have clung strongly to three guiding principals: work hard, love the land, and worship God.

Throughout the history of Cane Creek, meals around tables have served an important role in bonding us together--as families, as a church, and as a community. This cookbook is a celebration of the love and community spirit shared around those tables.

Without the contribution of many people, this cookbook would not have been possible. The recipes in the book are a collection of favorite dishes submitted by the members of Cane Creek Baptist Church, their families and friends.

The pictures used on the divider pages were provided by Ed Johnson and Quentin Patterson. The pictures are of scenes in our community. The sketch on the title page was done in 1975 by Tom Patterson from an old photograph of the old church building. The drawing on the cover is of the present church building and was sketched by Carroll Lassiter in 1990. Computer assistance for this cookbook was provided by Chris Gambill.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to everyone who contributed to the success of this special cookbook.

# CANE CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH: A BRIEF HISTORICAL SKETCH <br> Submitted by Edward Johnson August, 1992 

This year marks the two hundred and third anniversary of the founding of Cane Creek Baptist Church. Our church was founded in August, 1789 when nine settlers came together as trustees to buy an acre of land for a meeting house. It is the oldest Baptist church in Orange County and one of just a handful of churches to have been in continuous existence for over 200 years.

Cane Creek's first pastor was Thomas Cate, the son of a Quaker shoemaker who had migrated to North Carolina from his birthplace in Virginia. He received his religious training at the Haw River Baptist Church near Bynum. This church was an "arm" of North Carolina's original "Separate" Baptist Church located at Sandy Creek in Guilford County.

Students of religious history credit Sandy Creek's pastor, Shubal Stearns, with being the founder, in 1755, of a church, and later an Association, that led directly to the formation of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Although the Cane Creek Meeting House was built in 1789 by a Baptist, the congregation did not affiliate with a Baptist Association until 1807. The delay may well have been caused by early doctrinal differences between the dynamic outreaching Separate Baptists and the more Calvinistic Particular Baptists to the east. In this year Cane Creek cast its lot with the Sandy Creek Association and became an active participant in association affairs.

Our early Church records were destroyed by fire in 1829. The earliest Sandy Creek records are preserved in a centennial history written in 1859 by George Purefoy, one of our former pastors. His history indicates a congregation of 45 individuals at Cane Creek in 1816. A rough estimate would divide these into 15 men, 20 women and 10 slaves.

After Thomas Cate, the next pastor whose identity is known was Stephen Pleasant. He had formerly preached at a Church in Caswell County but had been dismissed by his congregation when he objected to their anti-mission feelings. At Cane Creek he found a congregation that
shared his support for the mission cause. Pleasant remained as pastor at Cane Creek until 1839.

While in Orange County Pleasant formed the Beulah Association, and Cane Creek left Sandy Creek to become a member. For its entire stay in the Beulah Association (1837-1870), Cane Creek was its largest church with a membership of over 200. When the Mt. Zion Association was formed in 1870, Cane Creek became a charter member and has remained a member ever since.

Beginning with J. C. Wilson (pastor from 1852 to 1856), all of Cane Creek's pastors have received formal theological training, most being graduates of Wake Forest. Besides Cate and Pleasant, other prominent Cane Creek pastors include: George Purefoy (pastor from 1839 to 1852), author of many tracts, articles, and books and described as one of the best educated North Carolinians of his time; F. M. Jordan, who after his stay at Cane Creek went on to pastor churches in some of North Carolina's larger cities such as Greensboro and Raleigh leaving a legacy as a builder of fine new church buildings; and J. F. McDuffie, who led the congregation in the construction and operation of Orange Grove Academy, a multi-grade school, during his stay at Cane Creek (1896-1907). This Academy continued in existence until tax supported public schools were constructed across the county around 1910.

The original meeting house was a rough and drafty log building about 25 feet wide by 35 feet long with a dirt floor and crude wooden benches. It was located on a ridge overlooking Cane Creek about a half mile northwest of the present building. Tradition has it that the original rough log meeting house was replaced at that spot by a larger and more comfortable building.

In 1852, the congregation bought the present tract on Orange Grove Road and built its third church house. This served until the late 1880's when a much larger building was erected. This old wooden church was attended by many of the older members of the present congregation. The present sanctuary was build in 1949-1950 and an education wing was added shortly thereafter.

Over the years, Cane Creek has been the mother church for many other Baptist churches. Among these are Antioch, Mars Hill, Cross Roads, Moore's Chapel in Saxapahaw and Hickory Grove. In its 200 years over 2000 people have been listed on the rolls of Cane Creek Baptist Church.

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The Ofd Church, Built in 1884

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# Appetizers, Beverages \& Relishes 



## COTTAGE CHEESE DIP

| 4 oz. Low Fat Cottage Cheese 1 tbsp. Fat Free-Cholesterol Free Mayonnaise | 1/2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce 1 small diced onion |
| :---: | :---: |
| Mix well. Serve with chips. Serves 8. |  |
|  | Evelyn Patterson |
| CRAB MEAT DIP |  |
| 1 (8 oz.) cream cheese | 1/4 cup chopped onion |
| 1 tbsp. Worcestershire sauce | 1 can crab meat (small) |
| Heat for 20 minutes at 350 degrees. |  |

Phyllis Padgett

## DILL DIP

| $1 / 3$ cup sour cream | $1 / 2$ tsp. dill weed |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1 / 3$ cup mayonnaise | 1 thsp. parsley flakes |
| 1 tsp. seasoned salt |  |

Mix well. This is better if made several hours before serving.
Pat Griggs

## VEGETABLE DIP

2/3 cup Hellman's mayonnaise
2/3 cup sour cream 1 tbsp. dried onion

1 tbsp. parsley flakes
1 tbsp. Beau Monde
1 tsp. dill weed

Mix well. Best to set overnight.

## LEMON CREAM DIP FOR FRUIT

## 2 eggs

1 cup sugar
1/3 cup Real Lemon juice 1 tbsp. cornstarch

## 1/2 cup water

1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup ( $1 / 2$ pint) whipping cream whipped

In bowl beat together eggs, $1 / 2$ cup sugar and Real Lemon. In saucepan, combine remaining sugar and cornstarch. Stir in water. Cook and stir until thickened, remove from heat. Gradually beat in egg mixture. Cook over low heat and stir until slightly thickened. Add vanilla. Cool mixture, fold in whipped cream. Serve with fresh fruit. Refrigerate leftovers.

Pam Kirk

## "REAL" SALSA

| 4 ripe tomatoes, chopped <br> 1 large white onion, chopped fine | $1 / 4$ cup chopped cilantro (or 2 <br> tbsp. dried leaves) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 tsp. ground cumin powder | $1 / 4$ cup olive oil |

Mix tomatoes and onions, pour olive oil over and mix well. Add hot peppers and lemon juice. Mix rest of ingredients. Let set at room temperature for one hour before serving with corn chips.
*Adjust the hot pepper to taste. This makes a "medium hot" salsa.
Nancy Holt

## DRIED BEEF BALL

1 (8 oz.) cream cheese room temperature
1 small jar dried beef

1/2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1/4 tsp. Accent
Optional: 2 spring onions

Dice beef and onions in food processor. Mix remaining ingredients together. Form into ball. Store in refrigerator.

Susan Nichols

## SAUSAGE CHEESE BALLS

## 3 cups bisquick <br> 1/2 pound grated sharp cheese 1 pound hot sausage

Mix all ingredients well. Form into small balls. Place on cookie sheet and bake until done. Cook about 15 minutes at 350 degrees. Makes about 75 balls.

Billie Johnson

## HAMBURGER DORITO BAKE

| Doritoes | 1 cup grated cheese |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1 / 2$ pound hamburger | Jalapeno peppers (optional) |

Crumble hamburger in pan and drain well. Spread Doritoes in square pan. Spread hamburger over Doritoes. Sprinkle cheese over hamburger. Bake at 350 degrees until cheese melts.

Glenda Satterfield

## RANCH PRETZELS

2 pounds hard pretzels
(broken in pieces)
1 cup oil

1 package Hidden Valley Ranch Dressing Mix
1/2 tsp. garlic powder $1 / 2 \mathrm{tsp}$. lemon and pepper spice

Mix oil, ranch dressing, garlic powder and lemon/pepper spice in measuring cup. Spread pretzels in roasting pan and drizzle dressing mixture over pretzels. Stir. Bake at 200 degrees for 1 hour, stirring every 15 minutes.

## PICKLED MUSHROOMS

1 pound fresh mushrooms
$11 / 4$ cups cider vinegar
$1 / 3$ cup water
1 tbsp. instant minced
onion
8 peppercorns or $\mathbf{1 / 2}$ tsp.
pepper

2 bay leaves
8 celery leaves
3 sprigs parsley or 1 tsp.
dried parsley

Wash and pat mushrooms dry. Put other ingredients in saucepan and bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer 5 minutes. Pour over mushrooms. Pack in jar and cover with tight lid. Refrigerate at least 24 hours.

Leta Bradshaw

## PARTY HAM BISCUITS

1 stick margarine, softened
3 tbsp. mustard
3 tbsp. poppy seed
1 medium onion grated
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce 3 packs ( 12 each) party rolls

1/2 pound Swiss cheese (grated or sliced)
$1 / 2$ pound ham chopped
(use light sliced ham)
Soft margarine for bread

Mix first 5 ingredients well. Split rolls and spread one side lightly with margarine. On other side spread $1 / 3$ of poppy seed mix. Top with $1 / 3$ of cheese and $1 / 3$ of ham. Put back in tin foil pans and bake in 400 degree oven for about 10 minutes till cheese is melted. Can be made ahead and frozen. Thaw and bake as above.

Kitty Bradshaw

## FROZEN PUNCH

6 cups sugar
9 cups water
1 large can orange juice

1 large can pineapple juice
1 bottle apple juice
3 large bottles ginger ale

Boil sugar and water together 5 minutes. Cool. Add juices, mix well and freeze until needed. This amount will serve 50 people and is best served before it completely thaws. Add ginger ale at serving time.

Glenda Satterfield

## LEMON PUNCH

| Ginger ale | $\mathbf{1 2}$ ounce can frozen lemonade |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 packages lemon Kool-Aid | 46 ounce can pineapple juice |
| 2 cups sugar (more or less) |  |

Dissolve sugar and Kool-Aid in small amount of warm water. Add thawed lemonade and pineapple juice. Stir well. Add water to make one gallon of punch. Add ginger ale just before serving. The Kool-Aid mix can be frozen to slushy state if desired.

Kitty Bradshaw

## LIME PUNCH

| 1 package lemon/lime Kool- | 2 quarts water |
| :--- | :--- |
| Aid | 2 liters ginger ale |
| 1 tall can pineapple juice |  |
| 1 cup sugar |  |

Mix Kool-Aid with sugar. Add water. Add pineapple in gallon jug. Add 1 liter of ginger ale to each gallon of punch right before serving.

## WMU PUNCH

1 gallon sherbet (any flavor) $\quad 1 / 2$ gallon vanilla ice cream
2 quarts ginger ale
The above ingredients will make one punch bowl of delicious punch.
Joy Gambill

## RELISH

4 quarts green tomatoes
4 quarts cabbage
24 green peppers
2 quarts onions
9 cups sugar

3 quarts vinegar
2 cups salt
2 quarts water
$1 / 2$ cup mustard seed
1/4 cup celery seed

Chop first four ingredients and put in large container (covered) and let soak overnight. Drain and add the remaining ingredients. Boil for 5 minutes. Pack in jars. Process for 20 minutes at 10 pounds pressure. Yields approximately 16 quarts.

Peggy Hamlett

## CHOW CHOW

## $1 / 2$ gallon chopped red and green tomatoes

1 quart chopped cabbage 1 quart chopped onions 4 large green sweet peppers, chopped

1 large red sweet pepper, chopped
2 hot peppers (or to taste)
1 quart vinegar
1 tsp. salt
4 cups sugar (I try $2 \mathbf{1 / 2}$ first)

Chop and mix all vegetables. Bring vinegar, salt and sugar to boil. Add vegetables and bring to a boil. Simmer till thick. Stir often. Will make about 7 or 8 pints of chow chow.
*If you like your chow chow hot, add more pepper. If you like it sweet, add more sugar also.

Kitty Bradshaw

## DILL PICKLES

Make brine of:
1 cup canning salt
3 quarts water
1 quart vinegar

Bring to a full boil. Put in bottom of each jar: pinch of alum, $\mathbf{2}$ heads of dill (or 1 tsp. dill seed), 1 pod hot pepper, 1 grape leaf, and 1 clove garlic. Pack washed cucumbers in jar and cover with hot brine. Seal. Let set for about 4 weeks before eating. Put in refrigerator to make crisp.

Laura Felmet Smith

## SWEET PICKLES

## 1 to $1 \mathbf{1 / 2}$ pounds pickling salt

2 gallons cucumbers
2/3 box alum

## 1 gallon vinegar

10 cent box pickling spices

## Sugar

First day: Wash cucumbers. Dissolve salt in hot water and pour over cucumbers. Let stand 24 hours.

Second day: Pour off salt water. Dissolve $2 / 3$ box Alum in water and pour over cucumbers. Cover with boiling water and stand 24 hours.

Third day: Pour off alum water. Cover with boiling water and stand another 24 hours.

Fourth day: Boil 1 gallon vinegar and spice (in a bag) for 20 minutes. I add stick cinnamon and whole cloves to the spices. Add a small amount of green color to vinegar if desired. Pour over cucumbers and let stand nine days.

After nine days, take cucumbers out of vinegar, cut in pieces ready to serve. Pack in glass jar or crock, layer of cucumbers and layer of sugar. Be sure to cover with sugar. Do not use any of the vinegar because it soaks out of the cucumbers. Sugar is very important. Use layers of each until jar is filled. Cover jar but do not seal.
Chapel Hill Cookbook
by Mrs. Johnny Edwards
Submitted by: Patsy Ray

Notes


## Soups \& salads



## CHILLED CARROT SOUP

1 pound carrots
2 tbsp. butter
2 (13 3/4 oz.) cans chicken broth
1 medium onion, chopped 1 bay leaf
$13 / 4$ tsp. salt
$1 / 8 \mathrm{tsp}$. white pepper
$1 / 2$ cup fresh orange juice
1 cup light cream
Parsley sprigs

Scrape carrots and chop into small pieces. Melt butter in large saucepan, add chicken broth, carrots, onion, bay leaf, salt and pepper. Bring to a boil. Cover and simmer until carrots are tender, about 30 to 35 minutes. Puree carrot mixture in blender. Cool. Add orange juice and cream. Chill at least 6 hours. Serve in chilled bowls and garnish with sprigs of parsley. Can be served hot also. Serves 6 .

Daphne Andrews

## MICROWAVE CHILI

1 pound lean ground beef
$1 / 2$ cup chopped onion
$1 / 2$ cup chopped green pepper 1/4 cup chopped celery
1 ( 15 oz .) can pinto, chili, or kidney beans
1 (16 oz.) can stewed tomatoes

1 (6 oz.) can tomato paste
1 tsp. beef bouillon granules, dissolved in 3/4 cup water 1 tbsp. chili powder
$1 / 2$ tsp. ground cumin (optional)
$1 / 2$ tsp. salt
1 small bay leaf

Use 4 quart cooker. Crumble meat and arrange in a circle around outside edge of cooker. Spoon onion, green pepper and celery into the center. Cover. Microcook on High 5 to 7 minutes or until meat is brown. Drain. Add remaining ingredients. Cover. Microcook on High 5 minutes. Stir. Cover. Reduce to Medium (50\%) and microcook 25 to 30 minutes. Let stand 5 minutes. Serves 4 .

## NEW ENGLAND CLAM CHOWDER

2 dozen medium quahog clams or $2(71 / 2)$ oz. cans clams or 1 pint shucked clams $1 / 4 \mathrm{lb}$. salt pork, minced 4 c. diced, peeled potatoes

1/2 cup chopped onion
2 cups milk (or substitute Half \& Half)
1 cup light cream
3 tbsp. flour
$1 \mathbf{1 / 2}$ tsp. salt

If using clams in shell, place in large kettle. Add 1 cup water. Cover and bring to boiling. Reduce heat. Steam just till shells open, 5-10 minutes. Remove clams from shell.

Dice clams. Strain liquid reserving $1 / 2$ cup. Fry salt pork in strips until crisp. Remove bits of pork; reserve. Add $1 / 2$ cup clam liquid, $11 / 2$ cups water, potatoes, onion (chopped celery and mushrooms optional) to fat. Cook covered till potatoes are tender, 15-20 minutes.

Add clams, $13 / 4$ cups milk and cream. Blend remaining milk and flour. Stir into chowder. Cook and stir till boiling. Add salt and a dash of pepper; top with crumbled salt pork. Makes 6 servings.

Lance Kress

## FRENCH ONION SOUP

4 medium onions
1 tbsp. butter
1 quart brown stock
$1 / 2$ tsp. Worcestershire sauce

Salt and pepper
Rounds of toast
Grated parmesan cheese

Slice onions thin and brown in butter. Add broth, Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper and simmer until tender. Pour soup in casserole. Arrange toast on top of soup, sprinkle with grated cheese and place under broiler until cheese melts and browns. Serves 4.

Martha Kirk

## HOT AND SOUR SOUP

3 cans chicken broth
$1 / 2$ pound lean pork (optional)
$1 / 2$ pound sliced mushrooms
$1 / 2$ cup sliced bamboo shoots
5 tbsp. vinegar
3 tbsp. soy sauce
$1 / 2$ tsp. red pepper flakes

1/4 tsp. black pepper*
1/4 pound tofu
1/4 cup cold water
3 tbsp. cornstarch
1 egg beaten
2 tsp. sesame oil
1/4 cup chopped green onion

Slice meat in thin strips and cook in small amount of water, about 30 minutes. Add broth, mushrooms, shoots, vinegar, soy sauce and peppers. Bring to a boil and simmer 30 minutes. Add tofu. Mix water and cornstarch and add, simmer 2 minutes. Just before ready to serve, add egg slowly to boiling soup. Stir once or twice. Add drop of oil and onions in serving bowls.
*Adjust pepper to personal taste.
Kitty Bradshaw

## CREAM OF POTATO SOUP

| Potatoes (peeled and cubed) | 2 tbsp. flour |
| :--- | :--- |
| Salt and pepper | 2 cups milk |
| 2 tbsp. margarine | 2 onions (sliced) |
|  | 1 tbsp. parsley (optional) |

Cook onions and potatoes together until tender. Pour off some of the water. Melt margarine, add flour, slowly stir in milk over medium heat and add to potatoes. Simmer for 15 minutes. Add bacon bits or shredded cheese (if desired).

## BLUEBERRY SALAD

2 small boxes concord grape jello $\begin{aligned} & 1 \text { cup blueberries } \\ & 1 \text { cup crushed pineapple }\end{aligned}$
Dissolve jello in $11 / 2$ cups hot water. Drain pineapple and blueberries. Add to jello and let chill.
Topping:
1 cup sour cream
1 (8 oz.) package cream cheese
1/2 cup sugar
Combine ingredients and layer over chilled jello.
Karen Sexton

## BROCCOLI SALAD

2 heads broccoli
1 medium red onion
1 pkg. salted sunflower seeds
1 cup raisins
1 pound bacon cooked very crisp, crumbled

Sauce:
1 cup Hellman's light mayonnaise 1/3 cup sugar 2 tbsp. white vinegar

Cut broccoli into flowerets, chop onion; mix all items together. Pour sauce over other ingredients. Refrigerate at least 2 hours before serving.

Mary Lin Truelove

## BROCCOLI SALAD

1 bunch broccoli, washed and diced (discard tough parts of stalk)
1 onion chopped fine (I use green onion)

12 slices of bacon (cooked and crumbled)
1 cup sunflower seeds (I use toasted, salted ones)

Toss above ingredients together.
Dressing:
1 cup mayonnaise
2 tbsp. vinegar
1/3 cup sugar
Mix and let set 2 to 3 hours or over night. Toss all together and serve.
Billie Johnson

## BROCCOLI \& CAULIFLOWER MARINATE

4 stalks fresh broccoli
8 large fresh mushrooms, sliced
1 green pepper, chopped
3 ribs celery, chopped
1 head cauliflower, broken into flowerets

2 tsp. dry mustard 1 tsp. salt
1/2 cup vinegar
$11 / 2$ cup vegetable oil
1 small onion, grated 2 tbsp. poppy seed

1 cup sugar
Remove flowerets from broccoli. Cut into bite size pieces. Combine vegetables. Toss lightly. Combine remaining ingredients. Mix well and pour over vegetables. Chill at least 3 hours. Serves 10 to 12 .

Joy Gambill

## CHICKEN SALAD

1 ( $31 / 2$ to 4 pound) chicken cooked and ground coarsely
$1 \mathbf{1 / 2}$ cups broth (more if needed)
3 large boiled eggs, mashed 1 cup diced celery

1 cup chopped sweet pickle mayonnaise
salt and pepper to taste 1 tbsp. white vinegar, if needed

Cool broth completely and skim off all grease. Warm broth until it will mix well.

Mix together ground chicken, eggs, celery and pickles. Add broth to mixture to make it at least $1 / 2$ as moist as the finished mixture will be. Add mayonnaise, salt and pepper to taste. If added zest is needed, add white vinegar.
"I remember as a small child my mother making it this way, and so do I."

Rebecca Crawford

## COCA-COLA JELLO SALAD

| 2 (3 oz.) packages black cherry |  |
| :---: | :--- |
| jello | 1 large can (seedless) black |
| cherries |  |
| 1 large can crushed | 1 cup chopped nuts |
| pineapple | 2 small coca-colas |

Drain juice from cherries and pineapple. Add enough water to make 2 cups of liquid. Bring to a boil. Pour over jello to dissolve, then add cocacola, fruits and nuts. Refrigerate until it sets.

Betty Dodson

## CRANBERRY SALAD

8 oz can crushed pineapple 1 (3 oz.) package raspberry gelatin
16 oz . can whole cranberry sauce

1/4 cup chopped celery
$1 / 4$ cup chopped nuts

Drain pineapple, saving juice. Add water to make $11 / 4$ cup liquid. In saucepan, heat liquid to boil, remove from heat. Stir in gelatin, then stir in cranberry sauce. Cool in refrigerator until thick, then stir in celery and nuts.

Lucy Fort

## MOTHER'S CRANBERRY SALAD

2 cups hot water $11 / 2$ cups sugar 1 pound fresh cranberries

2 boxes black cherry jello 1 cup chopped pecans 1 can crushed pineapple (large)

Boil water, sugar and cranberries until berries begin to split. Remove from heat and add jello, stir until dissolved. Add pecans and crushed pineapple. Chill till firm.

Pat Griggs

## FRUIT SALAD

1 large can sliced peaches
1 large box instant vanilla pudding
1 large can pineapple chunks, drained
1 large can mandarin oranges, drained

1 large can maraschino cherries, drained
1 large can fruit cocktail, drained
3 bananas

Night before serving: combine peaches with pudding mix. Drain other fruits and stir in. Just before serving: slice bananas, dip in lemon juice and mix with other fruit.

Lila Kirk

## LIME SALAD

2 packages lime jello (small) 2 cups water
2 cups tiny marshmallows
1 cup cold water

1 (8 oz.) package cream cheese 1 small can crushed pineapple 1 cup chopped pecans

Cook 2 cups water and marshmallows in a saucepan over medium heat until marshmallows melt. Add jello and dissolve thoroughly. Put cold water and cream cheese in blender and whip until blended. Pour all ingredients into the blender and whip.

Spread pineapple in an $8 \times 13$ baking dish, sprinkle pecans over the pineapple. Pour jello mixture over the pecans. Cover the mixture with saran wrap and chill until firm.

Pat Griggs

## PINEAPPLE SALAD

| 20 ounce can crushed pineapple | 2 cups buttermilk |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 tbsp. sugar | $\mathbf{8 o z}$. Cool Whip |
| 1 (6 oz.) jello (any flavor) | 1 cup chopped nuts |

Combine sugar and pineapple in saucepan; bring to a boil, stirring occasionally. Remove from stove. Add jello; stir until dissolved. Cool. Add buttermilk and mix well. Fold in Cool Whip. Add pecans, pour into $12 \times 8 \times 2$ inch dish. Sprinkle top with chopped pecans. Chill until set. Cut into squares and serve.

Dale Andrews

## PRETZEL SALAD

| $\mathbf{2}$ cups crushed pretzels | $\mathbf{3 / 4}$ cup oleo (melted) |
| :--- | :--- |
| (not too fine) | $\mathbf{3}$ thsp. sugar |

Mix together. Put into $8 \times 10$ dish. Bake at 400 degrees for $8-10$ minutes.
Cool.

## Second Layer:

1 (8 oz.) package cream cheese
1 cup sugar
2 cups cool whip
Mix together cream cheese and sugar. Fold in cool whip. Spread over pretzel mixture.

## Third Layer:

2 small or 1 large package(s) strawberry jello
2 cups boiling water
2 (10 0z.) packages frozen strawberries
Stir until dissolved. Set in refrigerator for 10 minutes. Pour over cream cheese mixture. Keep in refrigerator until ready to serve.

Vicki Felmet McGee

## SALMON SALAD

| 1 (15 1/2 oz.) can pink or red | $1 / 8$ tsp. pepper |
| :--- | :--- |
| salmon, drained \& flaked | 2 tbsp. chopped dill pickle |
| 1 tsp. prepared mustard | 6 medium tomatoes peeled |
| 1 thsp. lemon juice | mayonnaise |
| 2 hard cooked eggs, chopped | paprika |
| 2 tbsp. mayonnaise | leaf lettuce |

Combine salmon, mustard, lemon juice, eggs, mayonnaise, pepper and dill pickle in a medium mixing bowl, stirring well. Cover and refrigerate until chilled. Cut each tomato into 8 wedges, cutting to, but not through base of tomato. Spread wedges apart to form shell. Spoon salmon salad into tomato shells. Top with mayonnaise and sprinkle with paprika.
Serve on lettuce lined plates. Serves 6.

|  | SEVEN CUP SALAD |
| :--- | :---: |
| 1 cup grated coconut | 1 cup crushed pineapple |
| 1 cup cottage cheese | 1 cup fruit cocktail |
| 1 cup sour cream | 1 cup miniature marshmallows |
| 1 cup chopped nuts |  |

In large bowl, combine all ingredients. Cover and refrigerate for at least 24 hours.

Marybelle Kirk

## SEVEN LAYER SALAD

| Layer of lettuce | Layer of peas (drained) |
| :--- | :--- |
| Layer of cucumber | Layer of cheese (grated) |
| Layer of onion | Layer of mayonnaise |

Chill overnight, then toss. Top with bacon bits.
Pam Kirk

## SLAW

1 gallon chopped cabbage
$11 / 2$ cups vinegar
1 1/2 cups sugar
$11 / 2$ cups tomato catsup
Salt \& pepper to taste
Hot sauce to taste

Chop cabbage until very fine. Mix all ingredients thoroughly and refrigerate. This can be stored in the refrigerator for several weeks.

## FREEZER SLAW

1 medium cabbage head
1 tsp. salt
1 carrot
1 green pepper

1 tsp. mustard seed
1 tsp. celery seed
Dressing

Chop or shred cabbage. Add salt and let stand one hour. Squeeze all brine from cabbage. Add shredded carrot, chopped green pepper, mustard seed and celery seed to cabbage. Pour dressing over mixture. Pack in containers and freeze. Thaw and serve.

Dressing: In saucepan, combine 2 cups sugar, 1 cup vinegar, and $1 / 4$ cup water. Boil mixture for one minute. Cool to lukewarm.

Diane Kress

## SOUTHERN CONGEALED SALAD

1 package orange jello
1 pint vanilla ice cream 2 cups crushed pineapple, drained

1 cup pecans, finely chopped
1 small jar maraschino cherries pineapple, pecans, and cherries. Chill.

Susan Nichols

## STRAWBERRY SALAD

| $1\left(\begin{array}{l}\text { oz. }) \text { package strawberry } \\ \text { jello }\end{array}\right.$ | $1(8 \mathrm{oz}$.$) carton cottage cheese$ <br> 1 large container cool whip |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1(20 \mathrm{oz}$.$) can crushed pineapple$ | $1 / 2$ cup chopped pecans, optional |

Put pineapple in pan and heat to boiling. Pour dry jello in bowl. pour hot pineapple over dry jello. Put in refrigerator until gel-like, then fold in remaining ingredients, return to refrigerator.

Priscilla Lloy'd

## STRAWBERRY SALAD

| 1 (3 oz.) packages strawberry jello | 1 (8 or 9 oz .) container cool whip 1 cup chopped pecans |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 (20 oz.) can crushed pineapple |  |
| 1 (8 oz.) carton cottage cheese |  |
| Pour dry jello into bowl. Put pin over jello and mix well. Put in r ingredients. Mix well. Pour in m | e in pan and heat to boiling. Pour rator and gel slightly. Fold in other Chill. |

## SWEET PICKLES

1 quart hamburger dill slices (drained)
2 cups sugar

1/2 cup vinegar
1 tsp. mustard seed
1 tsp. celery seed

Mix all ingredients together and pour over pickle slices.
Karen Sexton

## CELERY SEED DRESSING

1/2 cup sugar
1 tsp. dry mustard
1 tsp. salt
2 tsp. celery seed

3 tbsp. grated onions
1 cup oil
1/3 cup vinegar

Put all ingredients in a jar with a tight fitting lid. Shake and mix well. Chill till ready to use.

Leta Bradshaw

## BLUE CHEESE DRESSING

2 cups mayonnaise 1 tsp. lemon juice
1 tsp. white vinegar
$1 / 4$ cup buttermilk
1/2 cup sour cream

1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper
1/4 tsp. garlic powder
1 (4 oz.) package blue cheese, crumbled

Combine all ingredients except blue cheese and mix well. Gently stir in blue cheese. Refrigerate several hours. Makes about 3 cups.

Kitty Bradshaw

## NUTS

Nutmeats are good sources of protein, are high in calories (largely monounsaturated fats), but have no cholesterol. The exceptions are coconut and macadamia nuts, both are unacceptably high in saturated fats. The following may be used in cooking or eaten as snacks:

| Almonds | Hazelnuts | Pistachio Nuts |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Brazil Nuts | Butternuts | Pumpkin Seeds |
| Cashews | Pecans | Sunflower Seeds |
| Chestnuts | Pine Nuts | Walnuts |

Notes

## Maín Dishes



## BARBECUE SAUCE FOR CHILDREN

1 stick butter
2 tbsp. vinegar
1 tsp. chili powder
3/4 cup tomato catsup
2 small onions, chopped

2 tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
3/4 cup water
1 tsp. salt
Black pepper to taste

Simmer in heavy skillet for 45 minutes. Pour sauce over chicken \& cook slowly in oven uncovered for 2 to 3 hours. Also good for marinating chicken before grilling.

Karen Sexton

## JIFFY BARBECUE SAUCE (GOOD)

$1 / 2$ cup oil
$3 / 4$ cup onion, chopped
$3 / 4$ cup ketchup
$3 / 4$ cup water
$1 / 3$ cup lemon juice

3 tbsp. sugar
3 tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
3 tbsp. prepared mustard
2 tbsp. salt
1/2 tsp. pepper
Mix and bring to full boil. Cool. Stores well in refrigerator.
Decie Kenyon

## AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION BARBECUE SAUCE

1/4 cup water
1/4 cup vinegar
2 tbsp. oil
1/2 cup chili sauce or catsup

3 tbsp. Worchestershire sauce
1 tbsp. dry mustard freshly ground black pepper 2 tbsp. chopped onion

Combine all ingredients and simmer for 15 to 20 minutes. Good with beef, pork or chicken.

## MARINATE FOR SHISH KEBABS

1/2 cup Worcestershire sauce
1/2 tsp. garlic powder
$1 / 2$ cup soy sauce
$1 / 2$ tsp. onion salt
1 cup cooking oil
1/2 tsp. pepper
Select tender lean beef and cut into servings for shish kebabs. Combine ingredients and pour over beef. Marinate overnight before grilling.

Joy Gambill

## WHAT'S IN THAT MARINATE?

| 2 bottles of Paul Newman Oil \& Vinegar Dressing | 2 tbsp. prepared mustard 1 tbsp. Italian seasoning |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 tbsp. grated flakes or minced garlic | 3 tbsp. chopped chives of onion |
| 1 tsp. black pepper | 4 chicken breasts (skinned) |
| 1 tsp. white pepper |  |

Mix all ingredients well and marinate chicken 2 hours before grilling. "I only do two breasts for us and store half the mixture in one of the dressing bottles and refrigerate until I need it. It will keep for about one week."

Billie Johnson

## BAKED CHICKEN BREASTS

1 package dried beef 4 chicken breasts or 8 half
breasts (deboned)
8 strips bacon

1 cup sour cream
1 can undiluted cream of mushroom soup

Cover bottom of casserole with dried beef. Wrap chicken breast in two strips of bacon each (one piece for half chicken breast). Add sour cream, then cover with mushroom soup. Cover and bake for three hours at 375 degrees. Uncover for last few minutes. Serve.

Billie Johnson

## CREATE A CASSEROLE (MICROWAVE)

5 oz . of your favorite pasta, cooked and drained
1 (10 3/4 oz.) can cream soup
$1 / 2$ cup mayonnaise
$1 / 2$ cup milk or white wine 1 cup shredded cheese 1/2 tsp. herb (basil, thyme, dill, or oregano)

1/8 tsp. garlic powder or onion powder
1 to $11 / 2$ cups tuna or salmon, shrimp, chicken, etc. Buttered crumbs, corn flake crumbs, French fried onion rings or crushed potato chips

Combine soup with mayonnaise and liquid in casserole. Add remaining ingredients except for topping. Cover with wax paper. Microcook on Medium High ( $70 \%$ ) 7 to 9 minutes, stirring once. Remove wax paper and sprinkle with topping. Microcook, uncovered on Medium High ( $70 \%$ ) 1 to 2 minutes.

Jenny Bryant

## BETTY'S CHICKEN

Chicken breast
Creamy Italian dressing
Ritz crackers (crushed)
Cut breast in bite size pieces and remove skin. Rinse in cold water and dip in Ritz crackers. Spray casserole with Pam, add chicken. Pour dressing over chicken. Cover and bake at 350 degrees.

Betty Holmes

## CRISPY BAKED CHICKEN

1/2 cup mayonnaise 1 tbsp. lemon juice
$1 / 2 \mathrm{tsp}$. Worcestershire sauce
1/8 tsp. garlic powder

1/8 tsp. pepper
3 pound broiler-fryer chicken
$11 / 3$ cups Italian bread crumbs

In a small bowl combine the first 5 ingredients. Brush or coat chicken pieces on all sides with mayonnaise mixture. Place the bread crumbs in a large plastic food bag. Add chicken one piece at a time, shake to coat well. Arrange chicken on a rack in broiler pan. Bake in 425 degree oven for 40 minutes or until golden brown and tender.

## LOW-FAT BAR-B-QUE CHICKEN

6 chicken breast halves with skin and fat removed
3/4 cup tomato catsup
$1 / 2$ cup vinegar
1/2 cup Dillard's Barbecue sauce

1/4 cup Fleishmann's or Promise margarine (in container)
1 heaping tbsp. brown sugar
Dash of garlic powder
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce

Boil above ingredients in sauce pan for a few minutes. Boil chicken until tender in water with two or three pieces of celery. Place chicken on grill a few minutes if charcoal taste is desired. Pour sauce over chicken and cook in oven at 400 degrees until it bubbles.

Patsy Ray

## GOLDEN BARBECUED CHICKEN

1 tbsp. melted butter or
margarine
1 tbsp. sugar
1 tbsp. lemon juice
1 tbsp. mustard

1 tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
1/8 tsp. pepper
2 chicken quarters

Combine first 6 ingredients in a small bowl; mix well. Place chicken in a lightly greased square baking dish. Pour sauce over chicken. Bake, uncovered at 350 degrees for 45 minutes. Increase temperature to 400 degrees and bake an additional 10 minutes.

Susan Nichols

## CHICKEN CACCIATORE (MICROWAVE)

1 pkg. chicken or turkey breasts (approx. 1 1/2
pounds) cut a little larger than bite size
1 can ( 15 oz .) tomato sauce
1 jar ( $41 / 2 \mathrm{oz}$.) sliced
mushrooms, drained

1/2 cup chopped onion
1 tbsp. sugar, optional
1 tsp. oregano
1 tsp. salt
1 clove garlic, finely
chopped
1/4 tsp. pepper

Arrange chicken in $12 \times 8$-inch dish with meatier portions toward edge of dish. Combine remaining ingredients, pour over chicken. Cover with wax paper. Cook at HIGH about 15 minutes. Chicken should be tender. Let stand, covered, 5 minutes. Serve, if desired, with spaghetti.

Jenny Bryant

## CHICKEN CASSEROLE

1 chicken (cooked, deboned and skin removed)
1 small package Pepperidge Farm dressing mix

2 cups chicken broth
1 can cream of chicken soup
1 stick margarine

Melt margarine, add dressing mix (all except 1 cup for topping). Mix and press into baking dish. Place chopped chicken on top of dressing. Mix broth and soup and pour over chicken. Sprinkle 1 cup of dressing mix on top and bake at 350 degrees about 25 to 30 minutes.

Barbara Sykes

## CHICKEN CASSEROLE

1 chicken cooked, deboned
$11 / 2$ cups chicken broth
1 can cream of chicken soup
1 stick margarine

CRUST:

1 1/2 cup Bisquick
$11 / 2$ cup milk

Place chicken in greased casserole dish. Mix and heat broth, cream of chicken soup, and margarine. Pour over chicken. Mix together Bisquick and milk. Pour over chicken mixture and bake at 350 degrees for 40-45 minutes until golden brown.

Marybelle Kirk

## CHICKEN CASSEROLE

4 chicken breasts, cooked
$\quad$ until tender
1 small carton sour cream
1 can cream soup

1 package Ritz crackers 1 stick margarine

Cut chicken into small pieces and place in casserole. Mix soup and cream together and spread over chickens. Roll crackers and mix with margarine. Spread over top of casserole. Bake 20 minutes at 325 degrees.

Martha Kirk

## CHICKEN CASSEROLE

2 cups cooked and chopped chicken
1 can French beans, drained
1 can sliced water chestnuts, slightly chopped
1 medium onion, chopped fine
$1 / 2$ cup mayonnaise (low fat)

1 can cream of celery soup
1 small can/jar pimento
1 box Uncle Ben wild rice
(cooked as directed)
Salt if desired
Pepper as desired

Cook rice, mix rice and all ingredients together. Put in casserole. Cover and bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. This freezes well, and the mixture can be divided--half to cook and half to freeze for later.

Lucy Fort

## RITZ CRACKER CASSEROLE

4 chicken breasts, cooked until tender
1 small carton sour cream
1 can cream of chicken soup

1 package Ritz crackers
1 stick margarine

Cut chicken into small pieces and place in casserole. Mix soup and sour cream together and spread over chicken. Crush crackers and mix with margarine. Spread over top of casserole. Bake 30 minutes at 325 degrees.

## JADE TREE CHICKEN

3 boneless chicken breast halves
$1 / 4$ cup soy sauce
1/4 cup vegetable oil 2 tsp. cornstarch 1/4 tsp. garlic powder 1/2 tsp. sugar (optional)

1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. ground red pepper
2 cups broccoli
1 cup sliced celery
1 large onion, cut in 8 pieces
2 tbsp. cooking sherry
1/4 cup cold water

Make marinate of: 2 tbsp. soy sauce, 1 tbsp. oil, 1 tsp. cornstarch, garlic, sugar, salt and red pepper. Cut chicken in bite size pieces and add to marinate for about 20 minutes. Heat wok and add $1 / 2$ of oil. Stir fry broccoli, celery and onions till tender crisp. Remove. Add remaining oil and heat, add chicken and stir till done (5-10 minutes). Mix sherry, water, remaining soy sauce, cornstarch. Add vegetable and cornstarch mix to chicken and heat till thick. Serve over rice.

Kitty Bradshaw

## CHICKEN CASSEROLE

| 1 whole chicken or chicken | $1(8 \mathrm{oz}$.$) carton sour cream$ |
| :---: | :--- |
| breasts | $\mathbf{1}$ package of Ritz crackers |
| 2 cans cream of chicken soup | 1 stick margarine |

Cook and debone chicken, place in bottom of baking dish. Mix soup and sour cream, pour over chicken. Crush pack of crackers and pour over chicken. Melt one stick of margarine, pour over crackers. Bake 325 degrees till bubbly.
Pat Griggs' Sister-in-Law

Viola Deal

## CHICKEN CRUNCH

| $1 / 2$ cup of chicken broth | 1 cup (sautéed) celery |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 cans mushroom soup | $1(5 \mathrm{oz})$ can water chestnuts |
| 3 cups (chopped) cooked chicken | $1(3 \mathrm{oz}$.$) can chow mein noodles$ |
| $1 / 4$ cup (chopped) onion |  |

Sauté onion and celery together. Blend both into soup. Add all other ingredients and mix well. Pour into a 2 quart casserole baking dish. Bake in oven at 325 degrees for 35 to 40 minutes. Serves 8 .

## CHICKEN AND RICE CASSEROLE

| 3 cups diced cooked chicken | 1 small onion (chopped) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 cups cooked rice (dry minute | 1 cup mayonnaise |
| rice may be substituted) | 1 cup soft bread crumbs |
| 4 hard cooked eggs (chopped) | 2 tbsp. lemon juice |
| 2 cans cream of mushroom soup | 2 tbsp. melted margarine |
| $11 / 2$ cup chopped celery |  |

Combine chicken, rice, eggs, soup, celery, onion, mayonnaise, lemon juice. Spoon into 2 quart casserole. Combine bread crumbs and margarine. Sprinkle on top of casserole. (Can refrigerate over night.) Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes until bubbly.

Decie Kenyon

## CHICKEN AND WILD RICE

$\left.\begin{array}{ll}1(6 \mathrm{oz} .) \text { box long grain wild } \\ \text { rice }\end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l}1(10 \mathrm{oz} .) \text { can cream of } \\ \text { mushroom soup }\end{array}\right\}$

Combine contents of box and water in $21 / 2$ quart casserole. Salt and pepper chicken. Arrange on top of rice. Bake covered $11 / 4$ hours at 375 degrees. Combine soup and milk. Sauté almonds in butter. When casserole is done, pour soup over casserole and sprinkle with almonds. Return to oven uncovered; bake until bubbly.

Pat Griggs

## CHICKEN SALAD

3 cups diced chicken
$21 / 2$ cups diced celery
1/2-1 cup slivered almonds
2 tbsp. lemon juice
2 tsp. minced onions

1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1 small can water chestnuts 1 cup mayonnaise

Mix together ingredients; pour into baking dish. Cover with cheese and crushed potato chips. Bake at 400 degrees for 20 minutes. Serves 10 .

## CHICKEN CORDON BLEU

| 8 chicken breast halves or 8 thigh fillets skinned and deboned | 1 egg beaten with 1 tbsp. water <br> 4 tbsp. butter or margarine |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1/4 cup all-purpose flour, salt | 1/2 cup chicken broth |
| and pepper to taste, | 2 tsp. cornstarch |
| Paprika to taste | 3/4 cup light cream or half |
| 4 slices Swiss cheese | and half |
| 4 thin slices cooked ham | 2 tbsp. chopped parsley |

Place each thigh or breast between 2 layers of wax paper or plastic wrap and pound with meat mallet or rolling pin to flatten slightly. Combine flour, salt, pepper and paprika in shallow dish, set aside. Cut ham slice and each cheese slice in half. Fold $1 / 2$ ham slice and $1 / 2$ cheese slice together and place in center of one thigh of breast fillet. Fold meat around ham and cheese. Enclose completely and secure with wooden toothpick. Dip stuffed meat in beaten egg, shake off excess, and dredge in flour mixture. Melt butter in skillet, add stuffed meat and sauté until browned on all sides. Add stock to skillet and bring to a boil. Cover, lower heat, and simmer 30 to 35 minutes or until chicken is tender. Remove chicken from skillet, remove and discard toothpicks and arrange on warm serving platter. Blend cornstarch with cream, stirring until smooth. Gradually stir into skillet with pan juices and cook over low heat, stirring constantly, until sauce is thickened and comes to a boil. Stir in parsley. Pour sauce into gravy boat and serve with chicken.

Billie Johnson

## CHICKEN POT PIES

1 medium onion, diced
4 chicken breasts cooked and deboned
1 can cream celery soup
2 cans cream chicken soup
1 can chicken broth from chicken

2 cans veg-all mixed vegetables, drained
1 cup all purpose flour
1 cup milk
1 cup mayonnaise
anse a $9 \times 13 \times 2$ pan. Put diced onion on the bottom. Then add chicken that is cut up into small pieces. Mix the soups, broth and veg-all and pour on top of the layer of chicken. Mix flour, milk and mayonnaise and pour on top. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 to $11 / 2$ hours until done.

Paige Winslow

## CHICKEN PIE

1 chicken
Salt and pepper
1 can cream of chicken soup

1 cup chicken broth
1 stick margarine
1 1/2 cup milk
1 1/2 cup Bisquick

Boil chicken, debone, salt and pepper. Take 1 can cream of chicken soup and stir in slowly 1 cup chicken broth until hot. Add 1 stick nargarine. Pour mixture over chicken. Add $11 / 2$ cup milk and $11 / 2$ cup Bisquick. Pour over rest and cook at 350 degrees until brown.

Lila Kirk

## CHICKEN PIE

1 chicken ( 2 to 3 pounds)
cooked, deboned and cut into pieces
2 cups chicken broth 1 can cream of chicken soup (undiluted)

1 stick margarine (melted)
1/2 tsp. black pepper
1 cup self-rising flour
1 cup buttermilk

Place chicken in $9 \times 12$ baking dish. Bring chicken broth and soup to a boil. Remove from heat. Pour this over chicken. Mix margarine, flour with buttermilk. Pour over chicken mixture. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Brown at 450 degrees for 5 to 10 minutes.

Susan Trollinger

## CHICKEN PIE

1 (3 or 4 pound) chicken
1 can cream of celery soup 1 cup chicken broth 1 tsp. black pepper 1 tsp. salt

## 3/4 cup of milk

2 tsp. baking powder
3/4 cup plain flour
3/4 stick margarine

Place bite-size pieces of cooked chicken in dish. Pour celery soup and broth over chicken. Mix dry ingredients, melted margarine and milk together. Pour over chicken. Bake at 375 degrees for 30 minuies. Serves 4-6.

Dale Andrews

## OLD FASHIONED CHICKEN PIE

## $31 / 2$ to 4 pound chicken Dumpling dough

Margarine<br>Black pepper

To make dumpling dough, use $13 / 4$ cups self-rising flour, Crisco and buttermilk. Cook chicken, lightly salted. Debone and cut into chunks.
Reserve $31 / 2$ cups broth.
Grease 13 x 9 x 2 pan with margarine. Line sides with dumpling dough. Using $1 / 2$ of the hot meat, make little mounds in pan. Cover with strips of dumpling. Fill in with rest of meat. Sprinkle freely with black pepper and dot with $3 / 4$ stick margarine (or use chicken fat). Use more strips of dumpling. Pour 2 cups of hot broth over this. Cover with wide strips of dough for crust. Pour rest of broth over all. Bake at 400 degrees until browned (about 35 minutes). Just before browning, rub crust freely with margarine.

## PARMESAN CHICKEN (LIGHT COOKING)

4 chicken breast halves skinned and boned<br>$1 / 3$ cup fine, dry breadcrumbs<br>1/4 tsp. dried whole basil<br>1/8 tsp. pepper<br>1 egg white slightly beaten<br>Vegetable cooking spray

1 (8 ounce) can tomato sauce $1 / 4$ tsp. garlic powder 1/4 tsp. dried whole basil 1/4 cup grated parmesan cheese $1 / 4 \operatorname{cup}(1$ ounce) shredded mozzarella cheese

Place each chicken breast between 2 sheets of waxes paper. Flatten to $1 / 4$ inch thickness using a meat mallet or rolling pin.
Combine breadcrumbs, $1 / 4 \mathrm{tsp}$. basil, and pepper. Dip chicken pieces in egg white. Dredge in breadcrumb mixture.
Coat a large nonstick skillet with cooking spray. Place over mediumhigh heat until hot. Place chicken breasts in skillet, and cook until lightly browned on both sides. Remove from skillet, and arrange chicken breasts in a $12 \times 8 \times 2$ inch baking dish.
Combine tomato sauce, garlic powder, and $1 / 4$ tsp. basil. Pour over chicken. Sprinkle with parmesan cheese. Cover and bake at 350 for 30 minutes. Uncover and sprinkle with mozzarella cheese. Bake an additional 5 minutes. (About 298 calories per serving.)

Pat Griggs

## GREEK SPAGHETTI SAUCE WITH CHICKEN

| 4 boneless skinned chicken | 32 oz. water <br> breasts |
| :--- | :--- |
| salt and pepper |  |
| $1 / 3$ stick margarine | spaghetti noodles or other |
| cinnamon (ground) | noodles |

32 oz . water<br>salt and pepper<br>noodles

Wash chicken and remove any fat. Salt and pepper each piece, then sprinkle ground cinnamon covering completely. In large pot, melt the margarine. Place chicken breasts cinnamon side down and brown. While browning, sprinkle ground cinnamon on other side, covering completely. Turn chicken once. Next, in a bowl, mix the 2 cans of tomato paste and 32 oz . of water together. Then pour over chicken in pot. Reduce heat and simmer, stirring occasionally, for 1 hour. Remove chicken to a bowl/platter. Use sauce over your favorite type of noodles. Decie Kenyon's Son-in-Law

Todd Shuart

## CHICKEN WAIKIKI BEACH

| 2 whole chicken legs \& 2 | 1 cup sugar |
| :--- | :--- |
| whole chicken breasts | 2 tbsp. cornstarch |
| (you can use all legs or all | 3/4 cup cider vinegar |
| breasts) | 1 tbsp. soy sauce |
| $1 / 2$ cup flour (plain) | $1 / 4$ tsp. ginger |
| $1 / 3$ cup salad oil | 1 chicken bouillon cube |
| 1 tsp. salt | 1 large green pepper, cut |
| $1 / 4$ tsp. pepper | crosswise |
| 1 can (1 pound) sliced pineapple |  |

Wash chicken, pat dry with paper towel. Coat chicken with flour. Heat oil in large skillet. Add chicken, a few pieces at a time, and brown on all sides. Remove when browned to shallow baking pan, arranging pieces skin side up. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Meanwhile, preheat oven to 350 degrees.
Make sauce as follows: Drain pineapple, pouring syrup into 2 cup measure, add water to make $11 / 4$ cups. In medium saucepan, combine sugar, cornstarch, pineapple syrup vinegar, soy sauce, ginger, and bouillon cube, bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Boil 2 minutes. Pour over chicken. Bake, uncovered, 20 minutes. Add pineapple slices and green pepper; bake 20 minutes longer, or until chicken is tender. Serve with fluffy white rice. Makes four servings.

Billie Johnson

## TURKEY IN A BAG (MICROWAVE)

1 (up to 7 pound) turkey breast 1 pkg. dry Italian dressing mix

1 pkg. dry onion soup mix 1 stick melted margarine
1 cooking bag

Mix together margarine and dry mixes. Place turkey, meaty side up, in cooking bag and pour mixture over turkey; fasten with plastic tie. Make slits near closure. Using temperature probe, cook on medium high power until temperature reaches 170 degrees. Cooking by time, cook on medium high for 9 to 11 minutes per pound. Let stand for 10 minutes before serving.

Kaye J. Snipes

## BEEF AND MACARONI CASSEROLE

1 pound ground beef
1 ( 15 oz .) can tomato sauce
$1 / 2$ can water
1 medium onion, chopped

Dash of: salt, oregano, pepper, and soy sauce
1 1/2 cups cooked macaroni

Brown ground beef and onion and drain well. Add other ingredients (except macaroni) and simmer 15 to 20 minutes. Add macaroni and heat through. You may add grated cheese to top if you like.

Kitty Bradshaw

## QUICK GROUND CHUCK DINNER

$11 / 2$ pound ground chuck
2 medium onions
2 cans cream of chicken soup

Brown meat and onions in a pan. Drain. Take a 10 inch casserole dish, spray with Pam. Put $1 / 2$ of meat mixture in bottom. Add layer of sliced potatoes. Add remainder of meat and another layer of potatoes. Cover with soup. Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Bake approximately 35 minutes or until bubbly and potatoes are done.

Pam Kirk

## COWBOY BEANS

2 cans pork ' n ' beans
1 can kidney beans
1 pound hamburger
1 bell pepper
1 onion
1 tsp. mustard

1 cup catsup
1 cup vinegar
1/3 cup brown sugar
1/4 tsp. garlic salt
pepper to taste

Chop pepper and onion. Cook until tender. Add hamburger, garlic salt and pepper. Brown. Add pork ' n ' beans and kidney beans. Stir well. Add mustard, brown sugar, catsup, and vinegar. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.

## HAMBURGER DELIGHT

$11 / 2$ pound ground chuck 1 medium onion, minced 1 (14 oz.) can tomato sauce Thyme and oregano to taste 1 (8 oz.) pkg. egg noodles

8 oz . sour cream (light)
3 oz. cream cheese (low calorie)
Grated cheddar cheese (if desired)

Brown hamburger and onions, drain fat. Cook noodles till done. Drain. Mix tomato sauce, thyme, oregano, salt and pepper with hamburger mix. Place noodles in casserole dish. Mix sour cream and cream cheese till smooth. Pour over noodles. Top with hamburger mixture. Sprinkle with cheese if desired. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.

Nancy Holt

## LASAGNA

2 pounds ground round 1 tbsp. minced garlic 1 tbsp. chopped parsley
1 tbsp. basil
1 tsp. salt
1 lb can tomatoes ( 2 cups )
2 (6 oz.) cans tomato paste
10 oz. noodles

2 (12 oz.) containers cottage cheese ( 3 cups)
2 eggs, beaten
1 tsp. salt
2 tbsp. chopped parsley
1/2 tsp. pepper
1/2 cup parmesan cheese
1 lb . mozzarella cheese, grated
1 cup sharp cheddar cheese

Brown meat and drain. Mix first 6 ingredients and add to the meat. Combine cottage chrese, eggs, etc. and add to meat. Simmer 45 minutes to 1 hour or until thick. Cook noodles.
Layer in 9x13 pan: hamburger mixture, noodles, hamburger mixture, $1 / 2$ of each cheese, hamburger mixture, noodles, hamburger mixture, last $1 / 2$ of each cheese.
Bake 350 degrees for 20 to 30 minutes or until bubbly. Let stand 5-10 minutes before serving.

## MICROWAVE LASAGNA

1 pound ground beef
1 (32 oz.) jar spaghetti sauce
1/2 cup water
$11 / 2$ cup ricotta or cottage cheese

1/2 tsp. pepper
8 lasagna noodles, uncooked
3/4 lb. Mozzarella cheese, grated
1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese

1 egg
In large glass bowl, crumble ground beef. Heat 2 to 5 minutes, on high, until beef is browned, stirring once; drain. Stir in spaghetti sauce and water.
Meanwhile, combine ricotta cheese, egg and pepper.
In oblong microwave dish, spoon $1 / 2$ cup sauce, alternately layer noodles, egg mixture, Mozzarella cheese and sauce forming 2 layers. Heat covered for 8 minutes on High. Continue cooking on Power Level 5 an additional 30 to 32 minutes, until noodles are tender. Top with Parmesan cheese, let stand, covered for 15 minutes before serving.

Lucy Fort

## PIZZA CASSEROLE

1 pound hamburger
1/4 cup chopped onion
1 (14 oz.) jar spaghetti sauce 2 cups grated mozzarella cheese

3/4 cup biscuit mix
$11 / 2$ cup milk
2 eggs
Pepperoni

Brown hamburger and onions, drain well. Mix with spaghetti sauce. Put in bottom of $8 \times 8$ inch baking dish. Top with pepperoni and mozzarelia cheese. Mix biscuit mix, milk and eggs and pour over the top. Bake at 400 degrees for about 30 minutes or until bubbly. Toppings such as pepperoni, cooked and crumbled sausage, extra cheese, etc. may be added during last 5 to 10 minutes of baking.

Serena Bartholomew

## SHORTCUT LASAGNA, MEXICAN STYLE

1 (10 oz.) can enchilada sauce 9 oz . lasagna noodles<br>1 (14 1/2 oz.) can cut-up, peeled tomatoes, undrained<br>1 (6 oz.) can tomato paste 1 ( 16 oz .) can black beans, rinsed and well drained<br>1 pint ( 2 cups) low-fat cottage cheese<br>3 cups shredded cheddar cheese (3/4 lb.)

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. In a bowl, combine enchilada sauce, tomatoes with their juice, and tomato paste. Mix to blend well. Stir in black beans.
Spoon a third of tomato sauce mixture over bottom of a $12 \times 8$ inch rectangular baking dish. Top with 3 uncooked lasagna noodles. Spread evenly with 1 cup cottage cheese and sprinkle with 1 cup cheddar cheese. Spoon on half the remaining tomato sauce mixture. Add another layer of 3 noodles, remaining 1 cup cottage cheese, then sprinkle with 1 cup cheddar cheese.
Add remaining 3 noodles in a single layer, remaining tomato sauce, and remaining 1 cup cheddar cheese. Cover tightly with foil.
Bake 45 to 50 minutes, or until noodles are tender. Let stand at least 5 minutes before serving. Serves 6 .

Evelyn Patterson

## SLOPPY JOES

1 pound hamburger I onion, chopped

1 can chicken gumbo soup

Brown hamburger and chopped onions in frying pan, add soup, simmer 5 minutes. Serve on toasted buns.

Priscilla Lloyd

## OVEN PORCUPINES

1 pound ground beef
1/2 cup uncooked rice
1/2 cup water
$1 / 3$ cup chopped onions
$\mathbf{1 / 2}$ tsp. celery salt

1/8 tsp. garlic powder
1/8 tsp. black pepper
1 ( 15 oz .) can tomato sauce
1 cup water
2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Mix meat, rice $1 / 2$ cup water, salt, garlic powder and pepper. Shape into balls about rounded tablespoon size. Place meatballs into ungreased dish. Stir together tomato sauce, 1 cup water and Worcestershire sauce. Pour over meatballs, cover with foil and bake 45 minutes. Remove foil and bake 15 minutes longer. Serves 4 to 6 .

Ann Bradshaw Whitlow

## BAR-B-QUE MEATBALLS

1 cup bread crumbs (2 slices)
1/2 cup milk
2 tbsp. onion, chopped
1 pound hamburger
1 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper

Sauce:
1/4 cup vinegar
1 tbsp. sugar
1 1/2 tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
1/2 cup ketchup

Soak bread crumbs in milk. Mix first six ingredients together and form balls about the size of a walnut. Sprinkle with garlic salt. Cover with sauce. Cook at 400 degrees till bubbly, lower temperature to 325 degrees and cook for one hour.
Pat Griggs' Sister-in-Law
Viola Deal

## TOMALLI PIE

| $11 / 2$ pound hamburger | Dash of garlic |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 onion, chopped | 1 can tomato soup |
| 1 bell pepper, chopped | $1 / 2$ cup water |
| 2 tbsp. chili powder | 1 can corn, drained |
| 1 tsp. salt | 1 can hot chili beans, |
| $1 / 2$ tsp. pepper | optional |

Brown first three ingredients. Mix all ingredients together, pour in a large casserole dish. Combine 1 box of Jiffy Corn Meal according to directions on package and pour over hamburger mixture. Bake at 350 degrees till cornbread is done.
Pat Griggs' Sister-in-Law Viola Deal

## SPAGHETTI BAKE

| 1 pound ground beef | 1 can cream of mushroom soup |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 large onion (chopped) | 1 bell pepper, chopped (optional) |
| $1(8 \mathrm{oz})$ box spaghetti (cooked) | sharp cheddar cheese, cubed |
| 1 can tomato sauce | 1 can tomato sauce |

Brown ground beef and onion and drain off fat. Add soups, tomato sauce, pepper and cheese. Mix with (cooked and trained) spaghetti.
Spray $12 \times 15$ or larger pan with Pam. Bake 350 degrees for 45 minutes.
Betty Holmes

## SPAGHETTI SAUCE

1 pound ground beef
2 or 3 chopped onions
Bell pepper chopped fine 1 can tomatoes 1 can tomato paste 1 can tomato sauce
$1 / 2$ tsp. mustard
2 tbsp. ketchup
$1 / 2$ tsp. baking soda
1 tbsp. sugar
salt and pepper to taste

Cook onions and bell pepper in butter until soft. Add meat and other ingredients. Brown ground beef and drain grease before adding meat to sauce. Cook about 6 hours on low heat. Serve over spaghetti noodles.

Patricia Ross

## BEEF STROGANOFF

1 pound round or sirloin steak (cut in cubes)
1 beef bouillon cubes
1/3 cup chopped onion
2 tbsp. cooking oil

2 tbsp. flour
2 tsp. salt
1 tsp. soy sauce
1 can cream of mushroom soup
$1 / 2$ cup sour cream

Batter steak in flour and salt. Brown onion and steak in oil. Melt bouillon cube in 1 cup hot water and add in with browned meat. Add in soy sauce and soup. Let simmer 20-25 minutes. Just before serving, add sour cream. Serve over rice or noodles.

Karen Sexton

## STROGANOFF BUNS

1 pound ground beef
3 slices of bacon, diced
$1 / 2$ cup diced onion 1 tbsp. fat
1 1/2 tbsp. flour
3/4 tsp. salt

1/4 tsp. paprika
1 ( 10 oz .) can cream of mushroom soup
sour cream
8-10 hamburger buns, split and toasted

Brown beef, bacon and onion in fat, drain off fat. Stir in flour, salt, paprika, and soup. Simmer 15-20 minutes. Stir in enough sour cream to make mixture of spreading consistency. Heat, but do not boil. Serve over bun halves. Add larger amount of sour cream if desired and use as topping for mashed potatoes or over noodles or rice. Yield: 8-10 servings.

Priscilla Lloyd

## TEXAS HASH (MICROWAVE)

1 pound lean ground beef
$1 / 2$ cup chopped onion
1/4 cup chopped green pepper
1 1/4 cups chopped celery
1 (16 oz.) can tomatoes, cut up

1 tsp. chili powder
1 tsp. salt
1 (8 oz.) package thin
spaghetti, cooked
1 cup shredded cheddar cheese

In 3 quart covered casserole, break up ground beef and push to the outside to make a circle. Add onion, green pepper and celery to the center. Cover. Microcook on High 6 to 7 minutes, or until meat is no longer pink. Stir meat and vegetables together. Cover. Microcook on Medium ( $50 \%$ ) 2 minutes. Drain. Add tomatoes, chili powder, and salt. Cover. Microcook on Medium (50\%) 5 minutes. Add cooked drained spaghetti and stir to combine ingredients. Cover with wax paper. Microcook on Medium High (70\%) 7 to 9 minutes. Stir gently. Sprinkle cheese over the top. Do not cover. Microcook on Medium High (70\%) 1 $1 / 2$ to 2 minutes. Serves 6 to 8 .

Jenny Bryant

## OVEN BEEF STEW

| 2 pounds lean beef for stewing | $1 / 4$ cup flour |
| :--- | :--- |
| 3 tbsp. vegetable oil | 1 tsp. salt |
| 5 medium carrots | $1 / 4$ tsp. pepper |
| $3-4$ medium potatoes | $11 / 2$ cups water |
| $1(28$ oz. can tomatoes | 1 envelope onion soup mix |

Cut beef into one inch cubes. Combine flour, salt and pepper. Dredge beef in flour. Heat oil in large skillet. Brown beef in oil. Transfer beef to 3 quart casserole dish. Add vegetables. Combine water and soup mix. Add to casserole. Cover and bake in oven at 375 degrees for 2 hours. Yields 6 servings.

Frances Snipes

## MULLIGAN STEW

1 tbsp. shortening
1 pound lean beef cubes
1 tsp. salt
1 can tomato soup

## 2 cans water

3 carrots, sliced
3 potatoes cut in quarters
2 onions cut in quarters

Brown beef chunks in oil over medium heat. Add salt, soup and water. Bring to a boil and simmer one hour till meat is tender. Add vegetables and cook another 30 minutes till tender. Add more liquid (water) if necessary.
"We made this in second grade health class."

## PEPPER STEAK

| 2 tbsp. oil | 2 medium green peppers, cut <br> into chunks |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 pound boneless steak, cut into | thin strips <br> 2 tbedium onions, sliced |
| Dasp. soy sauce 1 tbsp. cornstarch <br> Salt to taste $1 / 2$ cup beef broth |  |

Pour oil in 8 -inch square dish. Cook at Medium-High 3 minutes. Add steak, soy sauce and ginger. Cook at Medium-High 7 to 8 minutes; stir once. Season with salt and stir in peppers and onions. Cook, covered with plastic wrap at Medium-High 3-5 minutes or until vegetables are crisp and tender. Blend cornstarch with broth until smooth. Stir into dish and cook at Medium-High 3-5 minutes or until sauce is thickened. Stir once.

Jenny Bryant

## KIWI ROAST LAMB DINNER

| 1 (5-7 pound) lamb shoulder or | 4 carrots |
| :---: | :--- |
| butt | 2 medium onions, quartered |
| 8 medium potatoes, peeled | Several fresh whole mushrooms |

Place lamb in roasting pan; rub with butter; season with sprinkling of garlic salt, rosemary, salt and pepper. Arrange all vegetables except potatoes around roast. Add $1 / 3$ cup water. Cover tightly with foil. In separate dish, put in enough oil to cover bottom. Place halved potatoes in oil and turn them to coat them on all sides. Season with salt, pepper and garlic. Leave uncovered. Place in oven at same time as roast. Bake both at 350 degrees for $11 / 2$ hours. Potatoes will need to be turned once during this time.

Cindy McIntyre

## ORANGE-SAUCED LAMB CHOPS

1 tbsp. cornstarch
$1 / 4$ tsp. orange peel, finely grated
1/8 tsp. ground nutmeg
3/4 cup orange juice 1 tbsp. lemon juice

4 lamb loin chops, cut $\mathbf{3 / 4}$ inches thick (approximately 1 pound)
$1 / 2$ cup seedless green grapes, halved

In saucepan, combine cornstarch, orange peel and nutmeg, stir in orange juice. Cook and stir until bubbly. Stir in lemon juice. Brush chops with sauce. Broil chops 3-4 inches from heat for 4 minutes, turn and brush with sauce again. Broil chops 5-6 minutes longer. Stir grapes into remaining sauce, heat through. Spoon sauce onto chops. Serves 4.

Evelyn Patterson

## PORK CHOP CASSEROLE

$\mathbf{4}$ to 6 pork chops $\quad \mathbf{1}$ can mushroom pieces, drained
$\mathbf{1}$ cup uncooked rice $\quad \mathbf{1}$ stick margarine
$\mathbf{1}$ large onion, chopped
Brown chops. Sauté onion and mushrooms in margarine. Spread rice in
bottom of 9x13 dish. Place chops on top. Distribute onion mix evenly
over chops. Pour soup over all. cover with foil and bake about 1 hour at
350 degrees or until rice is tender.
"You can omit the chops and use as a rice casserole."

Leta Bradshaw

## SPINACH QUICHE

2 packages Stouffers spinach
$\quad$ soufflé
4 eggs
6 tbsp. milk
4 tbsp. chopped onion

1 cup mushrooms
1 1/2 cup cooked Italian sausage (crumbled)
$11 / 2$ cup grated Swiss or mozzarella cheese

Mix ingredients, pour into $29^{\prime \prime}$ (deep dish) pie shells. Bake 400 degrees for 30 minutes. Serves 8 .

Mary Lin Truelove

## STUFFED SHELLS

| 4 packages frozen spinach | Olive oil |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 pound feta cheese | 28 oz. can crushed tomatoes |
| 1 medium onion | 16 oz. Ricotta cheese |
| 2 level tbsp. dill weed | Parmesan cheese |
| 3 medium eggs | 1 box large shells |
| 2 garlic cloves (optional) | Mushrooms |
| Pepper |  |

Shells: In large pot, bring water with 1 tsp. salt to a boil, carefully add shells. Reduce heat and cook for eight minutes. Remove from heat, drain and place in cool water.
Sauce: First heat large pot, then add 2 tbsp. olive oil. Add garlic and toast it. Then add diced onions and sauté. Next, add mushroom and crushed tomatoes and simmer 10 minutes.
Stuffing: Thaw spinach and remove as much of the moisture as you can by squeezing with a paper towel. Crumble in feta cheese and mix with hands. Add ricotta cheese and dill weed and mix with hand. Beat eggs, then add and mix into mixture.
Wipe the inside of a $9 \times 13$ pan with olive oil. Stuff shells with stuffing mixture (should fill entire pan with stuffed shells). Sprinkle parmesan cheese over top. Pour sauce evenly over top and sprinkle again with parmesan cheese. Cover with aluminum foil and bake at 350 degrees for one hour. Serves 6 adults.
Decie Kenyon's Son-in-Law
Todd Shuart

## Breads <br> \& Rolls



## ANGEL BISCUITS

5 cups self-rising flour 1/2 cup Crisco
1 pkg. yeast
1/2 cup warm water
$11 / 2$ cups buttermilk
2 tbsp. plain wheat germ
1 heaping tsp. sugar

Dissolve yeast in warm water. Blend Crisco with dry ingredients. Combine yeast mixture with buttermilk, add dry ingredients. Let rise in warm place for $1 / 2$ hour. Make into biscuits and bake at 400 degrees.

Decie Kenyon

## ANGEL FLAKE BISCUITS

1 pkg. yeast
5 tbsp. lukewarm water
3/4 cup Crisco
5 cups flour
5 tsp. baking powder

1 tsp. soda
2 tsp. salt
3 tbsp. sugar
2 cups buttermilk

Dissolve yeast in water; set aside. Blend Crisco with dry ingredients. Combine yeast mixture with buttermilk, add dry ingredients making a stiff dough. Place dough in a covered container in refrigerator. Pinch off dough as needed. Place biscuits in cold oven - turn oven to 450 degrees and bake until brown.

Pat Griggs

## CHEESE BISCUITS

1/2 lb. butter or margarine
$1 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. grated cheese

2 cups flour
1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. baking powder

Blend butter and cheese. Add flour, salt and baking powder. Knead slightly. Roll out and cut into desired shapes. Bake at 400 degrees for 7 to 8 minutes.
Submitted by her daughter
Lora Wilkerson
Priscilla Lloyd

## CHEESE BISCUITS

2 cups self rising flour $1 / 3$ cup shortening

## 1/2 cup (2 oz.) shredded cheddar cheese <br> 3/4 cup milk

Combine flour and shortening in a medium bowl, cut in shortening with pastry blender until mixture resembles coarse meal. Stir in cheese and milk. Turn dough out onto a floured surface and knead lightly 3 to 4 times. Roll dough to $1 / 2$ inch thickness, cut into rounds with a $23 / 4$ inch. biscuit cutter. Place biscuits on an ungreased baking sheet and bake at 450 degrees for 10 to 12 minutes. Yields about 1 dozen

Billie Johnson

## MAYONNAISE BISCUITS

2 cups self-rising flour $\quad 1$ cup buttermilk
$1 / 4$ cup mayonnaise

If you do not have buttermilk, you may substitute plain milk with 1 Tbsp. vinegar added. Combine flour, mayonnaise and buttermilk. Mix well. Pour into muffin pan. Bake at 400 degrees until brown.

Decie Kenyon

## NOVELLA'S CHEW BREAD

2 cups self-rising flour
1 box brown sugar
3 eggs

1 stick margarine
Nuts or dates

Mix all ingredients together. Pour into a well greased pan. Cook at 300 degrees for about an hour. Bread will rise to the top of the pan. It is supposed to be gooey and sticky.

Marybelle Kirk

## CHEWY BREAD

1 box brown sugar 1 stick margarine (softened)

2 cups self-rising flour 1 tsp. vanilla 3 eggs

Combine all ingredients. Pour into a greased $6 \times 12$ inch pan and bake at 375 degrees for 25 minutes or until nicely brown and chewy.

Variation: Top with chopped nuts and/or cinnamon and sugar before baking.

Decie Kenyon

## CORN BREAD

| 1 cup self-rising corn meal | $1(8 \mathrm{oz}$.$) can cream style corn$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 eggs | 1 carton sour cream |
| $1 / 2$ cup oil |  |

Combine ingredients. Pour into $6 \times 9$ inch pan. Bake at 400 degrees for 25 minutes.

Decie Kenyon

## CORN BREAD SPECIAL

2 eggs
1 cup sour cream
$1 / 2$ cup salad oil 1 cup cream style corn

1 cup plain corn meal
1 tsp. salt
1 Tbsp. sugar
3 tsp. baking powder

Combine ingredients. Pour into square pan and bake at 375 degrees for 40 to 45 minutes.

Virginia Perry

## CORN BREAD SPECIAL

1 cup plain cornmeal
2 eggs
1 tsp. salt
3 tsp. baking powder
Mix and cook at 350 degrees for 40 to 45 minutes.

## MOUNTAIN CORNBREAD

2 Tbsp. shortening
1 cup plain corn meal 1/2 cup flour

2 tsp. baking powder
1/2 tsp. salt
1 egg
milk

Melt shortening in an iron frying pan. "I use an 8 inch pan." Melt it in the oven. Mix meal, flour, baking powder, salt, egg and enough milk to make a fairly soft batter. Pour mixture into hot pan from the oven. Place back in oven and bake for 20 to 30 minutes at 425 degrees. Serves 4 .

Billie Johnson

## MUFFINS

2 cups sifted all-purpose flour 3 tsp. baking powder 1/2 tsp. salt

2 Tbsp. sugar
1 egg slightly beaten
1 cup milk
1/4 cup melted shortening

Sift flour, baking powder, salt and sugar together. Combine eggs, milk and shortening and add to dry ingredients. Stir to moisten dry ingredients. Bake at 425 degrees for 20 minutes.

Vickie Felmet McGee

## JENNY'S BLUEBERRY MUFFINS

1 3/4 cups plain flour
1/4 cup sugar
$21 / 2$ tsp. baking powder
3/4 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. nutmeg
1 egg

## 3/4 cup milk

$1 / 3$ cup salad oil or melted shortening
1 cup berries (put in last of mixing)

Mix dry ingredients, then wet ingredients; mix together. Spoon into pan.
Bake at 400 degrees.
Jenny H. Bryant

## MAYONNAISE MUFFINS

1 cup self-rising flour $\quad 1$ Tbsp. mayonnaise
$1 / 2$ cup plain milk

Stir ingredients together until smooth. Bake at 450 degrees for 8 to 10 minutes.

Karen Sexton

## OAT BRAN MUFFINS

2 cups oat bran
2 egg whites 2 tsp. baking powder 1/4 cup honey

1/4 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup applesauce
1/2 cup raisins
$1 / 2$ to 1 cup skim milk

Mix all ingredients together. Use milk to thin batter. Pour into muffin pans with liners or greased well with oil. Bake at 350 degrees until brown.

Frances Snipes

## WILLIAMSBURG SWEET POTATO MUFFINS

1/2 cup butter
$11 / 4$ cups sugar
2 eggs
1 1/4 cups sweet potatoes (mashed)
$11 / 2$ cups flour

1/4 tsp. salt
1 tsp. cinnamon
1/4 tsp. nutmeg
1 cup milk
1/4 cup pecans (chopped)
1/4 cup raisins

2 tsp. baking powder
Cream butter and sugar. Add eggs and mix well. Blend in sweet potatoes. Sift flour, baking powder, salt and spices; Add to other mixture alternately with milk. Do not over mix. Fold in nuts and raisins. Fill greased muffin tins $1 / 2$ full. Bake at 400 degrees for 25 minutes.

* Batter can be made ahead and stored in refrigerator for 3 to 4 days. Rebecca Crawford


## BANANA BREAD

| $11 / 2$ cups all-purpose flour | $1 / 2$ cup wheat germ <br> $1 / 2$ cup sugar |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 tsp. baking powder | mashed (approx. 1 cup) |
| 1 tsp. baking soda | $1 / 4$ cup buttermilk |
| $1 / 2$ tsp. salt | $1 / 4$ cup oil |
|  | 4 egg whites |

Sift together the flour, sugar, baking powder, baking soda and salt. Mix in the wheat germ. Add all remaining ingredients and beat until well blended. Place in an oiled $8 \times 4$ inch loaf pan. Bake at 350 degrees about 1 hour or until done.
American Heart Association
Pat Griggs

## BANANA NUT BREAD

1/2 cup butter
1 cup sugar
3 eggs
2 cups plain flour
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. soda
3 bananas (crushed)
$1 / 4$ cup nuts
1 tsp. vanilla

Icing:
1/3 cup butter
3/4 cup brown sugar
1/4 cup canned milk
13/4-2 cups powdered sugar

Sift flour with soda. Combine all ingredients adding crushed bananas and nuts last. Bake in greased loaf pans at 325 to 350 degree oven for 50 minutes.
ICING: In a saucepan, melt butter. Add brown sugar and stir until dissolved. Add canned milk and remove from heat and beat in confectioners' sugar. Drizzle on hot bread.

Betty Holmes

## FRENCH ONION BREAD

2 cakes dry yeast 1/2 cup warm water
2 Tbsp. shortening 1 1/2 cups hot water

3 Tbsp. sugar
2 tsp. salt
1/2 pkg. dry onion soup mix
$51 / 2$ cups plain flour

Dissolve yeast in $1 / 2$ cup warm water. Mix together with other ingredients and let rise for $11 / 2$ hours. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes. Serves 10 .

Billie Johnson

## FRENCH BREAD BRAIDS

| 1 pkg. yeast (or 1 cake) | 1 Tbsp. sugar |
| :--- | :--- |
| $21 / 4$ cups warm water | $71 / 2-8$ cups sifted flour |
| $1 / 4$ cup melted shortening | 1 egg |
| 1 Tbsp. salt |  |

Soften yeast in $1 / 4$ cup water. Combine in large mixing bowl, 2 cups water, shortening, salt, sugar. Add yeast mixture. Gradually add flour to form a stiff dough. Knead on floured surface until smooth and satiny - 5 to 8 minutes. Place in greased bowl and cover. Let rise in a warm place until light and doubled in size ( 1 to $11 / 2$ hours). Punch down. Let rise 30 minutes.

Divide dough into 3 parts. Divide each part into 3 portions, roll each portion into a strip about 14 inches long. Braid the 3 strips together; sealing ends. Place braid on greased baking sheet. Repeat with remaining parts to make 3 loaves. Cover and let rise until doubled ( 45 to 60 minutes). Brush loaves with beaten egg. If desired, sprinkle with poppy seeds or sesame seeds.

Bake in hot oven 425 degrees 15 minutes, then at 350 degrees 20 to 25 minutes until deep golden brown.

Variation: Divide dough into 24 equal parts and shape into rolls. Let rise and bake as above.

## DINNER ROLLS

2 pkg. yeast<br>$11 / 2$ cups warm water 1 egg (well beaten)<br>1/4 cup melted shortening

6 Tbsp. sugar
1 tsp. salt
5 to 5 1/2 cups bread flour or plain flour

Soften yeast in water. Add sugar, salt, shortening and egg. Add flour a little bit at the time until a stiff dough is formed. Turn out on to a lightly floured board and work the rest of flour into the dough. Place dough in a greased bowl turning to grease top. Cover and let rise about 1 hour. Punch down and make into rolls. Place on a greased baking sheet. Let rise again until doubled in size. Bake at 400 degrees for 15 minutes or until brown. Grease tops while still warm.

Vivian Gwynn

## DELICIOUS HOME-MADE ROLLS

1 cup shortening
2/3 cup sugar
2 tsp. salt

2 pkgs. yeast
2 eggs beaten 6 cups sifted flour

Pour 1 cup boiling water over shortening in bowl. Stir until melted. Stir in sugar and salt until dissolved. Cool until lukewarm. Dissolve yeast in 1 cup lukewarm water. Add to shortening mixture with eggs and enough flour to make soft dough. Let rise covered in warm place until doubled in bulk. Punch down. Place in refrigerator 2 hours or one week. Shape into rolls. Let rise until doubled. Bake at 425 degrees for 12 to 15 minutes. Yield: $21 / 2$ to 3 dozen.

Virginia Perry

## WHOLE WHEAT ROLLS

| 1 pkg. yeast | 1 egg |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1 / 2$ cup sugar | $21 / 2$ cups whole wheat flour |
| 1 tsp. salt | $11 / 2$ cups white flour |
| $1 / 2$ cup Crisco |  |

Dissolve yeast in $1 / 3$ cup warm water. Heat 1 cup water, sugar, salt and Crisco. Cool. Beat in egg and yeast water. Add flour. Refrigerate overnight. Roll out and shape into rolls. Let rise until doubled. Bake at 375 degrees for about 10 minutes. Will keep in refrigerator for a week.

Peggy Hamlett

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## Desserts



## BLUEBERRY SAUCE

| $1(10$ oz.) pkg. frozen | $1 / 4$ cup sugar |
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| blueberries | 1 tbsp. cornstarch |
| $1 / 2$ cup unsweetened pineapple | $1 / 8$ tsp. salt |
| juice | $1 / 4$ tsp. grated lemon rind |
| $1 / 4$ cup water | 1 tsp. lemon juice |

Combine blueberries, pineapple juice, water, sugar, cornstarch, salt and lemon rind in a 1 quart saucepan. Cook over medium heat stirring until sauce thickens. Cool slightly. Stir in lemon juice. Chill. Makes about 1 $3 / 4$ cups sauce. Serve over ice cream as a sundae or over cake or layer it with vanilla pudding as a parfait.

## Mae Crawford

## PRALINE ICE CREAM SAUCE

| $11 / 2$ cups chopped pecans | $11 / 4$ cups brown sugar |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1 / 4$ cup butter or margarine | $3 / 4$ cup light corn syrup |
| 3 tbsp. plain flour | 1 small can evaporated milk |

Spread pecans in single layer on cookie sheet and bake at 300 degrees for 10 minutes. Set aside. Melt butter in medium saucepan. Add flour, sugar and corn syrup stirring well. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer 5 minutes stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Gradually stir in milk.

|  | Pam Kirk |
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| BANANA PUDDING |  |
| 2 ( 3 oz .) pkgs. vanilla instant pudding | Vanilla wafers Lite whipped topping |
| 3 cups skim milk | 5 bananas |
| 8 oz . plain lowfat yogurt |  |
| Mix vanilla instant pudding with directions. Fold plain low fat yo 2 inch dish layer vanilla wafers, wafers and ending with pudding | ups skim milk according to package into pudding mixture. In a $9 \times 13 \mathrm{x}$ anas, and pudding beginning with p with whipped topping. Serves: 8. <br> Evelyn Patterson |

## CHEESY PINEAPPLE

| 2 lg. cans pineapple chunks | 1 cup sugar |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 tbsp. plain flour | 1 sleeve Ritz crackers |
| 2 cups cheese | 1 stick margarine |

Drain the pineapple chunks. Mix pineapple, flour, cheese and sugar together. Put into an $8 \times 8$ inch pan. Mix 1 sleeve of crushed Ritz crackers with 1 stick of melted butter or margarine. Place on top of pineapple mixture.. Bake at 375 degrees for 20 minutes.

Karen Sexton

## CHOCOLATE DELIGHT

1 cup plain flour
1 stick margarine
1 cup chopped nuts
1 (8 oz.) cream cheese
1 cup confectioners sugar
2 cups milk

1 small pkg. chocolate instant pudding*
1 sm. pkg. vanilla instant pudding
1 lg. container cool whip

Mix together flour, margarine and nuts and spread into bottom of a large casserole dish. Bake at 350 degrees for 20 minutes. Cool completely.
Mix together cream cheese and confectioner sugar and spread over crust. Cover with 1 cup cool whip.
Mix together milk and instant pudding. Spread this over cool whip and top with the remaining cool whip.

* May use any flovor of instant pudding.

Alisa Kenyon Hill

## CHOCOLATE SPECTACULAR

1 cup chopped nuts
1/2 cup plain flour
$1 / 2$ cup self rising flour
1 stick butter
1 cup confectioner's sugar

1 (8 oz.) cream cheese
1 lg. carton cool whip
2 boxes chocolate instant
pudding
4 cups milk

Mix first 4 ingredients together and bake for 15 minutes at 350 degrees. Allow to cool completely. Mix sugar, cream cheese and $1 / 2$ cool whip together well and spread over first layer.
Mix milk and instant pudding according to package directions. Pour over second layer and allow to set. Cover top with the rest of cool whip. Sprinkle top with chopped nuts and place half cherries around. chill.

Susan Nichols

## DIRT CUPS

| 2 cups cold milk | $1(8 \mathrm{oz}$.$) container cool whip$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| 1 small pkg. Jello instant |  |
| chocolate pudding | $1(16 \mathrm{oz}$.$) pkg. chocolate$ |
| sandwich cookies (crushed) |  |

Pour 2 cups cold milk into bowl. Add pudding mix. Beat with wire whisk until well blended, about 2 minutes. Let pudding stand 5 minutes. Stir whipped topping and $1 / 2$ of the crushed cookies into pudding very gently with rubber scraper until mixture is all the same color. Place about 1 tablespoon of the remaining crushed cookies into bottom of each paper or plastic cup.
Fill cups about $3 / 4$ full with pudding mixture. Top each cup with the rest of the crushed cookies. Put cups into refrigerator to chill until set, about 1 hour. Garnish with silk or plastic flowers, candy worms, frogs or bugs if you wish. Yields: 8 to 10 dirt cups

Lila Kirk

## CHOCOLATE ECLAIRS

| 2 small boxes vanilla instant | Topping: |
| :--- | :--- |
| pudding | 1 cup sugar |
| 18 oz. carton cool whip | dash salt |
| 3 cups cold milk | $1 / 2$ cup cocoa |
| 2 pkgs. graham crackers | 1 tsp. vanilla |
|  | $1 / 4$ cup milk |

Mix pudding, milk and cool whip. Shake for 1 minute until thick. Line bottom of $9 \times 13$ inch dish with graham crackers and cover with pudding mixture. Layer graham crackers and pudding alternately until all of both is in the dish.
Topping: Bring to boil for 1 minute sugar, salt, cocoa, vanilla and milk. Pour over pudding and refrigerate for 1 hour to set.

Alma Trollinger

## PAVLOVA (NEW ZEALAND DESSERT)

| 4 egg whites (at room temp.) | 1 tsp. corn meal |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 cup superfine instant | 1 tsp. vanilla flavoring |
| dissolving sugar | 1 tsp. "malt" vinegar |

Beat egg whites until stiff. Then, add sugar $1 / 3$ at a time. Next add corn meal, vanilla and vinegar at slower speed. Blend together. Mixture should be very stiff. Pile meringue on aluminum foil sheet that has been lightly sprayed with Pam. Smooth out meringue into circle approximately 2 or 3 inches high. Bake at 350 degrees until lightly brown then turn off oven. Leave in oven for 2 hours. DO NOT OPEN OVEN DOOR. Decorate with whipped cream after removing tin foil. Top with fruit. *This recipe can be doubled, which is what I usually do. It's very good and rich.

Cindy McIntyre

## PERSIMMON PUDDING

3/4 cup sugar
2 cups plain flour
1 tsp. soda
1/2 tsp. salt
1 tsp. pumpkin pie spice

2 cups persimmon pulp
1 cup buttermilk
2 eggs beaten
1 tsp. vanilla
2 tbsp. melted margarine

Mix sugar, flour, soda, salt and pumpkin pie spice. Mix remaining ingredients and add to dry mix. Blend well. Grease and flour a 9 x 13 inch pan. Spread mixture into pan and bake for $11 / 2$ to 2 hours in a 300 degree oven.

Nettie Felmet

## SWEET POTATO PUDDING

Grate as much potato as you think you need. Two or three eggs if they are not too high. (Beat whites separately if you have time.) A good-sized piece of butter if you have it to spare. Sweeten to suit your taste if you have sugar enough. Milk or water for a thin batter. (I prefer water.) A generous pinch of salt. Flavor with nutmeg or other spices as preferred. Bake it until it is done and eat it when you want it.

## SUMMER STRAWBERRY DESSERT

| 1 (1.3 oz.) pkg. whipped topping | $2(6 \mathrm{oz}$.$) commercial angel$ <br> food cake |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{1 / 2}$ cup skim milk | 2 cups fresh strawberries |
| 1 carton plain yogurt | 3 kiwi fruit |
| 1 tsp. vanilla extract | 2 Tbsp. sliced almonds |

Tear angel food cake into bite size pieces. Slice strawberries and kiwi fruit and toast almonds. Prepare whipped topping mix according to package directions using $1 / 2$ cup skim milk and 1 teaspoon vanilla. Fold in yogurt and set aside

Layer half of cake, yogurt mixture, strawberries and kiwi fruit in an 8 inch square dish. Repeat layers. Sprinkle almonds on top. Cover and chill at least 2 hours. Yield: 8 servings ( 162 calories 17 percent from fat per 3/4 cup serving.

Kaye J. Snipes

## TOFFEE COFFEE TORTE

| 1 sm . box chocolate pudding | 1 carton whipping cream |
| :--- | :--- |
| 3 tbsp. instant coffee | 1 large angel food cake |
| $11 / 2$ cup milk | 2 Heath candy bars |

Add instant coffee and milk to pudding mix. Cook according to directions on package. Cover and chill in refrigerator. Whip one carton of whipping cream, fold $1 / 2$ of whipped cream into chilled chocolate pudding. Slice one large round angel food cake into three layers. Spread part of the chocolate mixture between layers. Fold remaining whipped cream into remaining chocolate mixture and ice top and sides of cake.

Crush 2 chilled Heath candy bars and sprinkle on top of cake.
Ann Nicholson

## CHEESECAKE

CRUST:
1/2 cup margarine softened 1/3 cup sugar
1 cup self-rising flour
$1 / 3$ cup chopped nuts

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& \text { FILLING: } \\
& 2 \text { ( } 8 \text { oz.) cream cheese } \\
& 1 / 2 \text { cup sugar } \\
& 2 \text { eggs } \\
& 1 / 2 \text { tsp. vanilla extract } \\
& 1 / 2 \text { tsp. almond extract } \\
& 2 \text { cups (16 oz.) sour cream }
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Cream margarine and sugar until fluffy. Add flour and nuts. Spread in bottom of spring form pan. Bake 10 to 15 minutes in 350 degree oven. Remove and cool.

Beat cheese and sugar until fluffy. Add eggs and flavorings, mix well. Add sour cream and mix well. Pour into the cooled crust. Bake 30 minutes in a 350 degree oven. Turn off the oven but leave the cheesecake in the oven for 30 minutes longer. Remove after 30 minutes and cool. Chill and add topping of your choice or serve plain.

Kitty Bradshaw

## EASY CHEESECAKE

1 can eagle brand condensed milk
1 ( 8 oz. ) cream cheese

3 tsp. lemon juice
1 can cherry pie filling
1 graham cracker crust

Mix milk, cream cheese and lemon juice together. Pour into a graham cracker crust. Bake at 350 degrees for 35 minutes. Top with cherry pie filling.

Vickie Felmet McGee
NO FAIL CREAMY VANILLA CHEESECAKE

## Filling:

5 (8 oz.) pkgs. cream cheese (softened)
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
3 eggs
$21 / 2$ tsp. vanilla flavoring

Crust:
$12 / 3$ cups graham cracker
crumbs
$1 / 3$ cup melted margarine

Beat cream cheese on high until light and fluffy; gradually add sugar, beating well. Add eggs one at a time, beating well. Stir in vanilla. Pour into graham cracker crust.

CRUST: Combine crumbs and margarine, stirring well. Firmly press mixture evenly on bottom and 1 inch up sides of a 10 inch. springform cheesecake pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 5 minutes. Remove from oven and add cheese cake mixture. Return to oven and bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes; turn oven off. Leave cheesecake in the oven for 30 minutes more. Remove from the oven and let cool on a wire rack. Cover and chill at least 8 hours.

## Cindy McIntyre

## HERSHEY'S CREAMY CHOCOLATE CHEESECAKE

## 1 cup salted or unsalted finely crushed pretzels

1 tbsp. sugar
1/3 cup margarine (melted)
2 (8 oz.) pkgs. cream cheese

## 1 cup sugar

1/3 cup Hershey's Cocoa
2 eggs
1 cup sour cream
2 tsp. vanilla

Heat oven to 350 degrees. For the crust, in a medium bowl combine crushed pretzels and 1 tablespoon sugar; stir in butter. Press mixture on bottom of a 9 inch pan. Bake 8 minutes, cool slightly. In a large mixer bowl, beat cream cheese until smooth and fluffy. Gradually beat in 1 cup sugar and cocoa. Add eggs one at a time beating well after each addition. Stir in sour cream and vanilla, blend well. Pour into the pan. Bake for 35 minutes. Turn the oven off but leave the cheesecake in the oven for 20 minutes longer without opening the oven door. Cool cake completely. Cover and refrigerate.

Serene Bartholomew

## MINI - CHEESECAKES

12 vanilla wafers
2 (8 oz.) pkgs. cream cheese (softened)

1/2 cup sugar
1 tsp. vanilla
2 eggs

Line muffin tins with foil liners. Place one vanilla wafer in each liner. Mix cream cheese, vanilla and sugar on medium speed until wellblended. Add eggs and mix well. Pour over wafers, filling to $3 / 4$ full. Bake 25 minutes at 325 degrees. Remove from pan when cool. Chill. *Top with fruit, preserves, nuts or chocolate.

Lila Kirk

## APPLE COBBLER

1/2 cup self-rising flour 1 stick margarine (melted) 1 cup sugar

1 cup milk
2 cups apples (peeled and sliced)*

Mix flour and sugar together. Add milk. Mix together and add margarine. After mixing well, add fruit. Pour into a greased $11 \times 7$ inch. pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 to 30 minutes or until done. Serve warm with ice cream.
*Other fruit can be substituted for the apples.

Paige H. Winslow

## APPLE DUMPLINGS

1-8 oz. can refrigerator crescent dinner rolls
2 lg . apples
2 tbsps. melted butter or margarine

1/2 cup sugar
1 tbsp. ground cinnamon
$1 / 2$ cup orange juice
Whipping cream (optional)

Peel, core and halve apples. Separate dinner rolls dough into 4 rectangles. Place an apple half in center of each; pull corners of rectangle over apple and pinch dough together, sealing all seams well. Place in a lightly greased 9 inch square baking dish, and drizzle with butter. Combine sugar and cinnamon and sprinkle over dumplings. Pour orange juice into dish; cover with foil. Bake at 400 degrees for 35 minutes. Serve hot. Top with whipped cream. Yields: 4 servings

Billie Johnson

## APPLE CRISP

4 cups sliced tart apples
1 tbsp. lemon juice
1/4 cup sugar

Topping:
1/3 cup margarine
$1 / 3$ cup flour
1 cup dry oatmeal
1/2 cup packed brown sugar 1 tsp. cinnamon

Spray a dish with Pam. Spread apples in bottom of the dish and sprinkle with lemon juice and sugar. Toss to mix well. Mix dry ingredients and add melted margarine to make a crumbly mix. Sprinkle over top of apples. Bake about 30 minutes in 350 degree oven. Serve warm or cold. *Good with vanilla ice cream while hot.

Kitty Bradshaw

## APPLE-CHEESE CRISP

6 cups cored, pared, sliced apples
1 tsp. cinnamon
1 tbsp. lemon juice
$1 / 2$ cup corn syrup

1/2 cup granulated sugar
2/3 cup sifted plain flour
1/4 tsp. salt
1/3 cup butter or margarine
1/4 lb. (1 cup) grated cheese

Arrange apples in greased, shallow baking dish about $10 \times 6 \times 2$ inches. Sprinkle with cinnamon. Pour lemon juice and corn syrup over apples. Combine sugar, flour and salt.; cut in butter until mixture is consistency of coarse corn meal. Lightly stir in cheese. Top apples with this mixture. Bake, uncovered, in moderate oven of 350 degrees for 1 hour or until apples are very tender. Serve warm with or without cream. Yield: serves 6 or 7 .

## BLUEBERRY CRUNCH

1 can blueberry pie filling
1(20 oz.) can crushed pineapple
1 box yellow cake mix

1 cup coconut
1 cup chopped pecans
$11 / 2$ stick margarine (melted)

Spray 13 x 9 inch or larger casserole with Pam. Spread pie filling evenly in casserole dish. Add crushed pineapple on top of blueberries. Pour dry cake mix on top of pineapple. Slightly press cake mix. Pour margarine on top of cake mix. Sprinkle pecans and coconut on top. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes.

Betty Holmes

## EASY CHERRY COBBLER

2 sticks margarine
1 cup sugar
1 cup milk

1 cup flour
1 tsp. baking powder
1 can cherry pie filling

Melt margarine and pour in baking dish. Mix sugar, milk, flour and baking powder together and pour mixture into melted margarine. Add cherry pie filling. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.

Martha Kirk

## "MOCK" DRIED PEACHES FOR PIES (CANNING)

2 gallons peeled peaches cut in fourths

6 cups sugar
1/2 cup vinegar

Mix sugar and vinegar. Add peaches. Cook till tender. Put in clean jars and seal. Can be used to make fried pies or regular pies.

Kitty Bradshaw

## BLUEBERRY NUT CRUNCH

1 (No. 2 1/2) can crushed pineapple
3 cups fresh or frozen blueberries
3/4 cup sugar

1 box yellow cake mix
$1 / 4 \mathrm{lb}$. melted butter or margarine
1 cup (or more) chopped pecans
1/4 cup sugar

Lightly grease a $9 \times 13$ inch baking pan or dish and spread the undrained crushed pineapple over the bottom of the pan.

Add the layer of blueberries and $3 / 4$ cup of sugar. Sprinkle the box of cake mix on top of the fruit layers. Then drizzle the melted butter or margarine all over the layer of dry cake mix; top it all with a generous amount of pecans.

Finally for a crunch glaze, sprinkle the remaining $1 / 4$ cup of sugar on top. Bake in a preheated oven at 350 degrees for 35 to 40 minutes, or until cake mix is done.

After the cake has cooked for about 35 minutes, take a spoon and cut down the bottom of pan. Do this in many places to permit juices to come through the cake.

Joy M. Gambill

## FRESH PEACH COBBLER

| $11 / 2$ cups thinly sliced peaches | 1 tbsp. milk |
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| 1 cup sugar | $1 / 2$ cup plain flour |
| $1 / 4$ cup water | $1 / 2$ tsp. baking powder |
| 1 egg | $1 / 4$ tsp. salt. |

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Spray $11 \times 7$ inch dish with Pam. In a saucepan, combine peaches, $1 / 2$ cup sugar and water. Bring to boil stirring frequently. Beat egg, $1 / 2$ cup sugar and shortening until fluffy. Add milk and stir in flour, baking powder and salt. Spread in dish. Pour peaches evenly over batter. Bake 25 to 30 minutes or until peaches are tender.
*You may use apples, blackberries, strawberries or blueberries instead of peaches.

Kitty Bradshaw

## PEACH COBBLER

| 1 cup sugar | Biscuit Topping: |
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| 2 tbsp. cornstarch | $11 / 2$ cups biscuit mix |
| $1 / 2$ tsp. cinnamon | 4 thsp. sugar |
| 1 cup water | $2 / 3$ cups light cream |
| 2 tbsp. butter or margarine | 2 tsp. grated lemon peel |
| 5 cups sliced fresh peaches |  |

Set oven at 450 degrees. Blend 1 cup sugar, cornstarch and cinnamon in 1 quart saucepan; add water. Bring to boil stirring constantly. Remove from heat and add butter and peaches. Pour into a shallow baking dish.

Combine biscuit mix and 2 tbsp . sugar; blend in cream with a fork. Drop dough in 6 mounds around edge of baking dish. Combine the 2 remaining tablespoons of sugar and lemon peel; sprinkle on dough.

Bake 25 minutes or until peaches are tender and biscuits are golden brown. Serve warm with plain or whipped cream.
Yields: 6 generous servings
Vivian Gwynn's Sister-In-Law
Doris Pender

## PEACH CRINKLE

1 (29 oz.) can sliced peaches (drained)
1 tsp. grated lemon rind
(optional)
1 (9 oz.) pkg. pie crust mix

2/3 cup firmly packed light brown sugar
1/4 cup butter or margarine Vanilla ice cream

Place peaches in a lightly greased $12 \times 8 \times 2$ inch baking dish. Sprinkle with lemon rind.

Combine pie crust mix and brown sugar; sprinkle over rind. Dot with butter. Bake at 425 degrees for 15 to 20 minutes. Serve with ice cream. Yields: 6 to 8 servings

Billie Johnson

## QUICK COBBLER

1 cup sugar<br>1 cup self-rising flour 1 cup milk

1 qt . sweetened fruit and juice (apples, peaches, strawberries, etc.)
1 stick margarine
1 tsp. vanilla (optional)

Melt margarine in baking dish or pan. Mix flour and sugar, add milk and vanilla. Stir well. Put fruit in baking dish or pan, add mixture and bake at 350 degrees until brown.

Priscilla Lloyd

## BUTTERMILK PIE

1/2 cup margarine
2 cups sugar
3 rounded tbsp. flour
dash nutmeg (optional)

3 eggs
1 cup buttermilk
1 tsp. vanilla (lemon can be used)

Cream margarine and sugar well. Add flour and eggs. Beat well. Stir in buttermilk, vanilla and nutmeg. Pour into unbaked pie shell. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 to 50 minutes.

Alice Ivey

## BUTTERMILK CHESS PIE

1 cup buttermilk
2 cups sugar
4 eggs
1 stick margarine

1 tbsp. cornmeal
1 tbsp. flour
1 tsp. vanilla extract
1 tsp. lemon extract
pinch salt
Combine all ingredients in blender and blend well. Pour into two unbaked pie shells. Bake at 350 degrees for 35 to 45 minutes.

Kitty Bradshaw

## CHESS PIE

3 cups brown sugar
1/2 cup water
$1 / 2$ cup flour

3 eggs
$1 / 4 \mathrm{lb}$. butter
1 tsp. vanilla

Cream butter. Add sugar and flour. Then add well beaten eggs, water and vanilla. Pour into unbaked pie shell and bake for 30 minutes at 425 degrees.

Submitted by her daughter
Lora Wilkerson
Priscilla Lloyd

## CHESS PIE

$11 / 4$ cups sugar
1/2 stick butter 1 tsp. vanilla

3 eggs
1 tbsp. vinegar

Beat eggs and add all other ingredients. Mix well. Pour into unbaked pie shell and bake at 400 degrees until done.

Peggy Hamlett

## CHOCOLATE CHESS PIE

1 cup sugar
3 tbsp. cornmeal
3 tbsp. cocoa
3 eggs (well beaten)
$1 / 2$ cup melted butter or margarine
$1 / 2$ cup light corn syrup 1 tsp. vanilla
1 unbaked 9 inch pie shell

Mix the sugar, cornmeal and cocoa in a bowl. Add the eggs, butter, corn syrup and vanilla and mix well. Pour into pie shell. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes.

Daphne Andrews

## MINNIE'S LEMON CHESS PIE

2 cups sugar
1 tbsp. cornmeal
4 eggs
$1 / 4$ cup melted margarine

1/4 cup milk
4 tbsp. lemon rind
1/4 cup lemon juice

Mix sugar and cornmeal. Add remaining ingredients and mix until smooth. Pour into crust . Bake at 375 degrees for 45 minutes or until brown.

Kitty Bradshaw

## CHOCOLATE PIE

1/2 stick margarine melted
2 eggs (beaten)
3 1/2 tbsp. cocoa

1 small can pet milk
1 tsp. vanilla
$11 / 2$ cups sugar

Beat eggs, add sugar and cocoa. Next, add milk, margarine and vanilla. Mix well. Bake in a 350 degree oven for 45 minutes.

Jewel Crawford

## CHOCOLATE PIE

| 1 cup sugar | 1 cup milk |
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| 3 tbsp. flour | 2 eggs |
| 3 tbsp. cocoa | 1 tsp. vanilla |
|  | Dash of salt |

Combine first three ingredients and mix well. Separate eggs and beat yolks. Add milk, salt and vanilla to yolks and add to the first mixture. Pour into pan lined with pastry. Bake slowly in a 350 degree oven until done.

Make a meringue of egg whites, 4 tbsps. flour and sugar. Beat until stiff. Add to pie and return to oven until meringue is lightly browned.

Alice Ivey

## CHOCOLATE PIE

1(1 oz.) square chocolate
1/2 stick margarine 1 cup sugar

2 tsp. vanilla flavoring
$1 / 2$ cup undiluted milk
2 eggs (beaten)
1 unbaked pie shell

Melt margarine and chocolate over low heat. Remove from heat. Mix sugar and flavoring with chocolate mixture. Beat eggs and milk then blend well with above mixture. Pour into unbaked pie shell. Bake at 350 degrees until mixture is set, about 35 minutes.

Billie Johnson
CHOCOLATE PIE

1 cup sugar
3 tbsp. cocoa
3 tbsp flour

1 cup milk
3 eggs (separate, save whites for meringue)
2 tbsp. margarine, melted

Mix ingredients well. Pour into deep dish pie shell. Bake in 350 degree oven until pie is beginning to set well. Beat egg white, add 1 tbsp. sugar for each white. Pour over pie and brown .

Decie Kenyon

## GRAND CHOCOLATE PIE

1 1/2 cups sugar
3 tbsp. cocoa
3 tbsp butter

3 tbsp flour
3 egg yolks
3 egg whites
1 cup milk

Stir dry ingredients together first. Stir in milk, egg yolks and butter. Pour in unbaked pie shell. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes to 1 hour or until firm.

Meringue: beat $\mathbf{3}$ egg whites until still, add 6 tablespoons sugar, a pinch of salt and $\mathbf{1 / 4}$ teaspoon cream of tartar. Add the sugar a little at time. Spread on pie and return to oven and bake at 350 degrees for about 12 minutes or until lightly brown.
With Sister-in-Law Eleanor Page
Vivian Gwynn

## CHOCOLATE CREAM PIE

2 tbsp. fat
6 tbsp flour
$11 / 2$ cups milk
2 oz. unsweetened chocolate (shaved)
3/4 cups sugar

1/4 tsp. salt
2 egg yolks beaten
1 tsp. vanilla
baked pastry shell
2 tbsp. confectioners sugar
2 egg whites, stiffly beaten

Melt fat, add flour, milk, chocolate, sugar and salt. Heat slowly to boiling, stirring constantly until thick and smooth. Remove from heat. Add a small amount of hot mixture to egg yolks then return to chocolate mixture. Add vanilla. Turn into pastry shell. Top with meringue made from egg whites and confectioners sugar. Brown under broiler. Whipped cream may be substituted for meringue. One-half cup chopped pecans may be added to filling just before turning into pastry shell.

Priscilla Lloyd

## FOUR LAYER CHOCOLATE PIE

1st. layer:
1 cup all purpose flour
1 stick margarine softened 1 cup chopped nuts

2nd layer:
1 cup confectioners sugar
1 (8 oz.) softened cream cheese
$1 / 2$ of 13 oz . cool whip

## 3rd layer:

1 large box Jello instant chocolate pudding mix 3 cups milk

## 4th layer:

cool whip

Combine ingredients of first layer and press into a greased oblong pyrex dish. Bake for 20 minutes at 350 degrees.

Combine confectioners sugar, cream cheese and cool whip and spread on first layer.

Combine pudding mix with milk and spread over 2nd layer.
Finally, spread remainder of cool whip on top of 3rd layer and refrigerate.

## BUTTERMILK COCONUT PIE

$1 / 2$ stick butter
2 eggs
1/2 tsp. vanilla
1 cup sugar

1/3 cup buttermilk
$1 / 2$ cup coconut
1 unbaked pie shell

Cream butter with sugar; add eggs and buttermilk. Beat well. Add vanilla and coconut. Pour into pastry shell and bake at 375 degrees for 30 minutes.

Phyllis Padgett

## COCONUT PIE

$11 / 2$ cups sugar
4 eggs
1 stick butter melted

1 can baker angel flake coconut $1 / 2$ cup buttermilk

Mix sugar and eggs together. Add remaining ingredients and mix well. Pour into unbaked pie shell and bake at 350 degrees for about 45 minutes. Makes 2 pies.

Martha Kirk

## COCONUT CREAM PIE

1/4 cup flour
2/3 cup sugar
$1 / 4$ tsp. salt
2 cups milk, scalded 3 egg yolks

2 tbsp. butter
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup coconut
$110^{\prime \prime}$ pie shell

Mix together everything except vanilla. Cook in double boiler until thick. Remove from heat and cool. Add vanilla and pour into pie shell. Top with beaten egg whites and chill.

## COCONUT CREAM PIE

| 4 tbsp. flour | 2 eggs (save whites for |
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| 1 cup sugar | meringue) |
| 2 cups milk | 2 tbsp. margarine |
| 1 tsp. vanilla | 1 small can coconut |

Cook sugar, flour and milk until thickened. Add margarine, coconut and vanilla. Pour into baked deep dish pie shell. Beat egg whites. Gradually add 2 tbsps. sugar for each white. Brown meringue in 350 degree oven.

Decie Kenyon

## IMPOSSIBLE COCONUT PIE

4 beaten eggs
$13 / 4$ cups sugar
$1 / 2$ cup self-rising flour 2 cups milk

1 tsp. vanilla
1/8 tsp. salt
$1 / 2$ stick butter
1 can coconut

Beat eggs, add sugar and milk. Beat well. Add salt and flour. Mix well. Stir in melted butter, vanilla and coconut. Pour into 2 pie pans. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 minutes.

Vickie Felmet McGee

## CUSTARD PIE

| 4 eggs | 1 cup evaporated milk |
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| 2 cups sugar | 1 stick butter, melted |
| 1 tbsp. flour | 1 tsp. vanilla |

Beat eggs, add remaining ingredients and beat until smooth. Pour into 2 pie shells. Bake at 350 to 400 degrees for 35 to 40 minutes.

To make chocolate custard pie, add 1 to 2 Tbsps. cocoa and beat well.

Mary Lin Truelove

## FRUIT PIE

1 can sweetened condensed milk Juice of 2 or 3 lemons 1 can sliced peaches (drained)
1 can crushed pineapple (drained)

1 small can mandarin oranges (drained)
8 oz . whipped topping.

Mix sweetened condensed milk with lemon juice. Stir in drained fruit. Stir in whipped topping mix. Pour in 29 -inch graham cracker crusts. Refrigerate for several hours, (preferable overnight) before cutting. This will keep for several days in the refrigerator.
And Sister-in-Law Doris Pender Vivian Guynn

## JAPANESE PIE

## 4 eggs

2 cups sugar
1 cup coconut
1 cup raisins
1 cup nuts

2 tbsp. vinegar
1 tsp. vanilla
2 sticks margarine
1/4 tsp. salt

Beat eggs lightly with fork. Add rest of ingredients except margarine. Melt margarine and add to other ingredients. Pour into uncooked pie shells. Bake at 350 degrees for 10 minutes. Turn oven to 300 degrees and continue to bake until done.
Make 2 pies.
Submitted by Priscilla Lloyd
Lora Wilkerson

## JAPANESE FRUIT PIE

1/2 stick margarine melted
1 scant cup sugar
2 eggs (well beaten)
$1 / 2$ cup raisins

1/2 cup pecans
$1 / 2$ cup coconut
Juice $1 / 2$ lemon
1 tsp. grated lemon rind

Combine all ingredients and bake in unbaked pie shell for 40 minutes at 300 degrees. Good at Christmas.

Peggy Hamlett

## JAPANESE FRUIT PIE

| 1 cup sugar | $1 / 2$ cup butter |
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| $1 / 2$ cup milk | 2 eggs |
| 1 tbsp. vinegar | 1 tbsp. vanilla |
| $1 / 2$ cup pecans | $1 / 2$ cup raisins |
| $1 / 2$ cup coconut |  |

Mix all ingredients together. Pour into unbaked pie shell. Bake at 325 degrees for 40 minutes. Makes 2 pies or 1 deep dish pie.

Phyllis Padgett

## LEMON PIE

| $11 / 2$ cups sugar | Rind of 1 lemon |
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| 3 tbsp. flour | 2 tbsp. margarine |
| 4 thsp. cornstarch | 3 egg whites |
| $1 / 2$ tsp. salt | 6 tbsp. sugar |
| $21 / 2$ cups hot water | 2 tsp. lemon juice |
| 3 egg yolks (beaten) | 1 pie shell |
| Juice of 2 lemons |  |

Mix sugar, flour, cornstarch and salt. Add hot water. Cook over medium heat until thick, stirring constantly. Add egg yolks slowly to hot mixture. Cook for 1 minute more. Remove from heat and add margarine, lemon juice and rind. Mix well. Cool. Bake pie shell and cool. Spread pie filling in cooled pie shell. Top with meringue.
Meringue: Beat 3 egg whites until stiff. Add lemon juice slowly while beating egg whites. Add sugar 1 tbsp. at a time. Beat well after each addition. Will take about 8 to 10 minutes to add all of sugar. Bake pie at 325 degree for approximately 20 minutes or until lightly brown.

Leta Bradshaw

## LEMON MERINGUE PIE

2 beaten egg yolks
2 Tbsp. sugar
2 egg whites

1 can sweetened condensed milk juice of 3 small lemons
1 graham cracker crust

Mix egg yolks, condensed milk and lemon juice well. Pour into pie crust. Beat egg whites until stiff gradually adding sugar. Spread on top of pie and bake in 325 degree oven until brown. Makes 1 pie. Vivian Gwynn's Sister

Mildred Page

## MICROWAVE LEMON PIE

| $1 / 4$ cup lemon juice | 1 pkg. lemon Jello (not instant) |
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| $1 / 2$ cup sugar | 2 eggs |
| Cool whip |  |

Combine lemon juice, sugar and Jello. Beat in eggs. Cover with saran wrap and cook in microwave for 6 minutes stirring at 2 minute intervals.

Pour 1 cup in baked pie shell and cover with plastic wrap until cool. Cool remaining filling and add 1 cup cool whip topping. Pour in pie shell and top with cool whip when chilled.
Submitted by Chris Gambill

## LEMON BLUEBERRY PIE

4 cups blueberries
3/4 to 1 cup sugar
3 tbsp. flour
$1 / 2 \mathbf{t s p}$. grated lemon peel

Dash of salt
$1 / 2$ tsp. cinnamon
1/2 tsp. nutmeg 1 uncooked pie shell

Mix all ingredients together in large bowl; pour in pie shell. Sprinkle with lemon juice and dot with butter or margarine. Bake at 400 degrees until crust is brown.

Jenny Herring Bryant
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\begin{array}{ll} & \begin{array}{c}\text { CHIPPIE' S LEMON CHESS PIE }\end{array}
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\& (Chippie was a famous old Southern cook)\end{array}\right]\)|  | $1 / 4$ cup melted butter |
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| 2 cups sugar | $1 / 4$ cup milk |
| 1 tbsp. cornmeal | 4 tbsp. grated lemon rind |
| 4 eggs (unbeaten) | $1 / 4$ cup lemon juice |

Line a 9 inch pie pan with pastry. Put sugar and cornmeal into a large bowl and toss lightly with a fork. Add eggs, butter, milk, lemon rind and lemon juice. Beat until smooth and pour into the unbaked pie shell. Bake at 375 degrees for 35 to 45 minutes or until golden brown.

Rebecca Crawford

## LEMON CREAM PIE

| 1 cup sugar | $1 / 2$ cup lemon juice |
| :--- | :--- |
| 4 tbsp. cornstarch | 3 egg whites |
| $1 / 4$ tsp. salt | 3 tbsp. sugar |
| 2 cups milk |  |
| 3 egg yolks | 1 deep dish pie shell |
| 3 tbsp. margarine |  |
| 1 tsp. grated lemon peel |  |

Add small amount of milk to dry ingredients using wire whisk.
Gradually add remaining milk. Cook until thickened, stirring constantly to keep from sticking. Stir small amount of milk mixture into egg yolks. Gradually add to milk mixture. Remove from heat and stir in lemon juice and margarine. Pour into baked pie shell. Beat egg whites for meringue gradually adding 3 tbsps. sugar. Bake in 325 degree oven until brown.

Decie Kenyon

## LEMON MERINGUE

1 box vanilla wafers 4 lemons
4 eggs

2 cans Eaglebrand sweetened condensed milk
4 tbsp. sugar

In (2) 10 -inch pyrex pie plates, arrange vanilla wafers to form crust. In a large mixing bowl, mix condensed milk and egg yolks well; then add juice from 4 lemons and mix well. Pour over vanilla wafer crust. Beat egg whites, adding 1 tbsp. of sugar for each egg white. Beat egg whites, add sugar and beat again until meringue is smooth. Spread over lemon mixture. Bake at 400 degrees until golden brown.

Patricia Ross

## PECAN PIE

1/2 cup white sugar
2 eggs
1/4 tsp. salt
1 cup white karo syrup

2 Tbsp. butter
2 Tbsp. flour
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup nuts

Mix flour, salt and sugar together. Cream with butter. Beat eggs until foamy. Add to creamed mixture. Mix well. Add syrup, flavoring and nuts. Bake at 375 degrees for 10 minutes, reduce heat to 350 degrees and bake approximately 45 minutes or until pie will not shake in crust.

Martha Kirk

## PECAN PIE

2 eggs
1 Tbsp. flour
$1 / 4$ cup melted butter

2 cups light brown sugar
1/3 cup milk
1 cup pecans

Mix ingredients well and pour into pie crust. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes or until brown.

Priscilla Lloyd

## PECAN PIE

1 box of brown sugar 4 tbsp. melted butter 4 eggs

1 tbsp. vanilla
10 tbsp. evaporated milk
1 cup pecans

Mix all ingredients together. Pour into pie shells. Bake at 350 degrees about one hour. Makes 2 pies or 16 tarts.

Viola Deal

## SOUTHERN PECAN PIE

1 (9") unbaked pie shell
3 eggs
2/3 cup sugar
dash of salt

2/3 cup dark corn syrup
1/3 cup melted butter
2 cups chopped pecans

Beat eggs thoroughly with sugar, salt, corn syrup and melted butter. Add pecans. Pour into unbaked pie shell. Bake at 350 degrees for 50 minutes. Shirley Rishel

## AUNT LOIS' PECAN PIE

| $1 / 4$ cup butter (melted) | 1 cup light corn syrup |
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| 1 cup brown sugar | 3 eggs |
| $1 / 4$ tsp. salt | 1 cup pecans (chopped) |
| 1 tsp. vanilla |  |

Mix well in order given and pour in uncooked pie crust. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour. Makes 1 large 9 inch pie or two small pies.

Susan Trollinger

## PECAN PIE

1 stick margarine 3 tbsp. flour 1 box light brown sugar 3 eggs 6 Tbsp. milk

2 tsp. vinegar
$11 / 2$ tsp. vanilla
1 cup chopped pecans

2 pie shells

Melt margarine and set aside to cool. Mix flour and sugar together. Add milk and eggs. Beat well. Stir in vinegar and vanilla. Add margarine and pecans. Pour in 2 pie crusts and place in cold oven. Bake at 300 degrees for 1 hour.

Paige H. Winslow

## SWEET POTATO PIE

4 large sweet potatoes
4 eggs
$13 / 4$ cups sugar

1 stick margarine
1 tbsp. vanilla
1 tbsp. cinnamon
Enough milk to mix well

Boil potatoes until done. Put in cool water. Then peel potatoes and mix all above ingredients together. Pour in 2 pie shells and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.
Makes 2 pies or 1 deep dish pie.
Vivian Gwynn

## SENSATIONAL DOUBLE LAYER PUMPKIN PIE

Crust:
I large graham cracker pie
$\quad$ crust
$1 / 3$ cup butter
$1 / 4$ cup packed light brown
sugar
2 Tbsp. water
1 Tbsp. cornstarch
$2 / 3$ cup coarsely chopped pecans

Filling:
1 pkg. (3 oz.) cream cheese, softened
1 cup plus 1 Tbsp. cold half \& half or milk
1 Tbsp. sugar
$11 / 2$ cups cool whip
2 sm . pkgs. vanilla instant Jello pudding
116 oz . can pumpkin
1 tsp. ground cinnamon
1/2 tsp. ground ginger
1/4 tsp. ground cloves

CRUST: Place butter in microwave. Cook on high for 1 minute until melted. Add sugar, water and cornstarch. Stir with whisk until smooth. Cook on high for 1 minute until mixture comes to full boil, stir in chopped pecans. Spread mixture on bottom of crust. Place crust in freezer while preparing filling. Carefully spread filling over pecan layer. Chill pie for 3 to 4 hours in refrigerator.

FILLING: Mix cream cheese, 1 Tbsp. half and half and sugar with wire whisk until smooth. Gently stir in whipped topping. Spread on crust. Pour 1 cup half and half into mixing bowl. Add pudding mix. Beat with wire whisk until well blended, 1 to 2 minutes. Let stand 3 minutes. STIR in pumpkin and spices. Mix well. Spread over cream cheese layer. Refrigerator. Garnish with additional whipped topping and nuts as desired.

Phyllis Padgett

## THREE KITTEN PIE

13 oz. pkg. cream cheese (softened)
1/2 cup sugar

3/4 cup crunchy peanut butter
8 oz . whipped topping 1 graham cracker pie crust

Using an electric mixer, mix cream cheese, sugar and peanut butter in large bowl. Add whipped topping. Pour into pie crust. Chill one hour before serving.

Aaron Kirk

## APPLE NUT CAKE

| 3 cups apples (Tart-Winesap) | Brown Sugar Glaze: |
| :--- | :--- |
| 3 cups flour (plain) | 1 stick margarine |
| 1 tsp. soda | $1 / 4$ cup milk (evaporated) |
| 1 tsp. salt | 1 cup light brown sugar |
| 1 cup pecans |  |
| 2 tsp. vanilla |  |
| 2 cups sugar |  |
| $11 / 2$ cups Mazola oil |  |
| 3 eggs |  |

Butter and flour pan. Grate apples (course) or slice thin about the size of an almond slivered. Put all ingredients in mixing bowl. Beat eggs well and add to other ingredients. Mix all ingredients well. Pour mixture in floured and greased pan (13" x 9" x 2"). Bake for 45 minutes to 1 hour at 350 degrees.
GLAZE: Bring mixture to boil. Pour over warm cake. Let cake set overnight for best flavor.

Ann Nicholson

## APPLE - RAISIN CAKE

3 eggs
2 cups sugar
1 cup cooking oil
$21 / 2$ cups plain flour
2 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. soda
1 tsp. salt

1 tsp. nutmeg
3 cups chopped raw apples
1 cup raisins
1 cup chopped nuts
1 tsp. lemon juice or flavoring

Mix eggs, sugar and oil. Sift flour, soda, baking powder, salt and nutmeg. Flour raisins with small amount of the flour. Combine raisins, apples, nuts with cake. Beat in mixer. Put in tube pan. Bake 1 hour in 350 degree oven.

Ethel Cheek

## APPLE ROMAN CAKE

1 cup sugar
$21 / 4$ cups flour
1/4 tsp. salt
3/8 tsp. baking powder
1 1/2 tsp. soda
1/2 tsp. cloves
1 tsp. cinnamon
2/3 cup shortening
2 eggs
2/3 cup milk
1 1/2 tsp. vanilla
3 cups raw apples, pared and chopped

## Topping:

1 tbsp. melted margarine
2 tsp. cinnamon
1/3 cup brown sugar
2 tsp. flour
1/2 cup chopped nuts or coconut (optional)
$1 / 4$ cup rolled oats

Combine sugar, flour, salt, baking powder, soda, cloves and cinnamon. Beat in shortening, eggs, milk and vanilla. Add apples and mix well. Pour into greased and floured $9 \times 13$ pan. Crumble topping mixture together and cover cake. Bake in a preheated 350 degree oven for 35 to 40 minutes. Serves 12-16

Joy Gambill

## APRICOT LEMON SUPREME CAKE

$1 / 2$ cup cooking oil
1/2 cup sugar 4 eggs--partly beaten
1 box lemon supreme cake mix
1 cup apricot nectar

Topping:
2 lemons
1/8 cup apricot nectar
2 cups powdered sugar

Mix cake ingredients slowly until there are no lumps. Bake in a tube pan at 350 degrees for 1 hour. While cake is baking, mix the juice for the topping. When cake comes out of the oven, mix topping until smooth. Poke holes in the cake with a fork and pour topping over the top of cake while it is still hot .

## APPLE SAUCE CAKE

$31 / 2$ cups plain flour
2 tsp. soda
2 tsp. cinnamon
1 tsp. cloves (optional)
1 cup softened margarine
2 cups sugar
3 eggs (beaten)
1 tsp. vanilla

2 cups floured raisins
2 cups floured chopped nuts
2 cups hot thick applesauce
1 sm. pkg. chopped red candied cherries
1 sm. pkg. chopped green candied cherries
1 sm. pkg. candied chopped pineapple

Cream margarine and sugar, add eggs. Mix 3 cups plain flour with soda, cinnamon and cloves (optional). Cover raisins, nuts, cherries and pineapple with $1 / 2$ cup flour and mix well. Add hot applesauce to batter and blend well then add raisins, nuts, etc. and vanilla. Pour into greased and floured tube pan and bake at 350 degrees for approximately 2 hours. (Excellent Christmas Cake).

Decie Kenyon

## BLACK MIDNIGHT CAKE

2 1/4 cups cake flour
$12 / 3$ cups sugar
2/3 cups cocoa
1 1/4 tsp. baking soda
1 tsp. salt

1/4 tsp. baking powder
$11 / 4$ cups water
1/4 cup shortening
2 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla

Preheat oven at 350 degrees. Grease and flour two 9 " cake pans or one 13 " x 9 " oblong pan. Measure all ingredients into large mixing bowl. Blend $1 / 2 \mathrm{~min}$. on low, scraping bowl constantly. Beat 3 minutes on high speed. Pour into pans. Bake 30 minutes for two 9 " round pans or 45 minutes for one $13^{\prime} \mathrm{x} 9{ }^{\prime \prime}$ pan.

Shirley Rishel

## BROWN SUGAR NUT POUND CAKE

1 lb . brown sugar
1 cup granulated sugar
1 cup shortening or butter 1/2 cup Crisco
3 cups plain flour (measure before sifted)
$1 / 2$ tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup milk
5 large eggs
2 cups broken pecans

Cream shortening, butter and sugars. Add eggs one at a time. Mix dry ingredients, sift several times and stir into creamed mixture. Add milk and vanilla. Grease tube pan and sprinkle with sugar. Add half of nuts to batter and sprinkle other nuts over cake after you put batter into pan. Bake 325 degrees for $11 / 2$ hours.
Submitted by Patsy Ray
Rosa McFarling

## CARROT PINEAPPLE CAKE

$1 \mathbf{1 / 2}$ cups plain flour
1 cup sugar
1 tsp. baking soda
$1 / 2$ cup oil
1 cup shredded carrot
1 tsp. cinnamon
$1 / 2$ tsp. salt
2 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla
$1 / 2$ cup crushed pineapple with syrup
Mix together dry ingredients. Add oil, eggs, carrots, pineapple and vanilla. Beat 2 minutes with mixer. Pour into long pan or $29^{\prime \prime}$ pans.
Bake at 350 degrees for 35 minutes.
Frosting: Mix all ingredients well and frost cake after it has cooled.
Decie Kenyon

## 1-2-3 CHOCOLATE CAKE

STEP 1:
2 cups sugar
2 cups plain flour
1 tsp. baking soda
dash salt
1/2 tsp. baking powder
STEP 2:
1 cup water
1 stick margarine
1/2 cup Crisco oil
4 Tbsp. cocoa

STEP 3:
2 beaten eggs
$1 / 2$ cup buttermilk
FROSTING:
4 tbsp. milk
1 stick margarine
4 tbsp. cocoa
1 box confectionery sugar
1 cup chopped nuts
1 tsp. vanilla

Step 1: Mix all ingredients in large bowl and set aside.
Step 2: Mix water, margarine, oil and cocoa in saucepan, bring to boil and boil 1 minute stirring constantly. Blend into dry ingredients that have been set aside.
Step 3: Add eggs and buttermilk to mixture. Mix together well and pour into greased and floured long cake pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 to 30 minutes.
Icing: Bring milk and margarine to boil. Remove from heat and blend in cocoa, confectionery sugar, nuts and vanilla. Pour over warm cake.

Decie Kenyon

## CHOCOLATE OR PLAIN POUND CAKE

1 cup or $\mathbf{1 / 2} \mathbf{l b}$. butter or margarine (softened)
1/2 cup snowdrift
3 cups sugar
5 eggs
3 cups cake flour

4 Tbsp. cocoa
$1 / 2$ tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. baking powder
1 cup milk
2 tsp. vanilla

Cream together margarine and snowdrift. Add sugar and eggs (one egg at the time) and mix well. Sift together next 4 ingredients (flour, cocoa, salt, baking powder). Add this to creamed mixture alternating with milk and vanilla that has been mixed together. If a plain cake is desired, leave out the cocoa. When I cook a plain pound cake, I use 1 tsp. lemon and 1 tsp. vanilla flavoring.

Bake in a greased and floured tube pan for 1 hour and 25 minutes in a moderate oven at 325 degrees. Check for doneness with a cake tester at the end of 1 hour.

Billie Johnson

## CHOCOLATE SHEET CAKE

Step 1:
2 cups sugar
2 cups plain unsifted flour
Step 2:
1 cup water
1 cup oil
1 stick margarine
4 Tbsp. cocoa
Step 3:
1/2 cup buttermilk
2 eggs
1 tsp. soda
dash of salt
Step 1: Mix sugar and flour well in a large bowl.
Step 2: Mix in a saucepan water, oil, margarine, cocoa and bring to a boil. Boil for 1 minute stirring constantly. Pour over sugar and flour mixture stirring well
Step 3: Add buttermilk, eggs, soda and salt to mixture. Mix all ingredients well and pour into greased and floured pan, 13x9x2. Bake at 350 degrees for 35 to 40 minutes.
Icing: Bring milk, cocoa, margarine and vanilla to boil. Remove from heat and stir in 1 box confectionery sugar, add extra milk if needed. Pour over hot cake as soon as it comes from the oven.

Billie Johnson

## CHOCOLATE CHIP CAKE

| 1 box Duncan Hines Yellow | 1 sm . box vanilla instant pudding <br> Cake Mix |
| :--- | :---: |
| $1 / 2$ cup oil <br> 4 eggs | $1 / 2$ bar Germans Sweet |
| 1 cup water | Chocolate |
| 1 sm. pkg. chocolate chips |  |

Mix all ingredients (except the chocolate and chips) together with an electric mixer for 5 minutes. Grate in the half bar of chocolate. Stir in the chips. Pour into greased and floured tube pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour. Serves: 10

Pat Griggs

## GERMAN CHOCOLATE CAKE

1 pkg. Bakers German Sweet
Chocolate
1/2 cup boiling water
1 cup butter or margarine
2 cups sugar
4 egg yolks
1 tsp. vanilla
2 1/2 cups Swans Down Cake Flour
1 tsp. baking soda
1/2 tsp. salt
1 cup buttermilk
4 egg whites stiffly beaten
Melt chocolate in boiling water. Cool. Cream butter and sugar until fluffy. Add yolks, one at a time beating well after each addition. Blend in vanilla and chocolate. Sift flour with soda and salt; add alternately with buttermilk to chocolate mixture beating after each addition until mixed. Fold in beaten egg whites. Pour into 39 -inch layered pans. Line pans with paper. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 to 35 minutes. Cool completely and frost tops only.
Coconut Pecan Frosting: Combine all ingredients except coconut and pecans in a saucepan. Cook and stir over medium heat until thickened. Remove from heat. Stir in coconut and pecans. Cool until thick enough to spread.

## COCONUT DESSERT

| 1 box Duncan Hines Buttery | Filling: |
| :---: | :--- |
| Cake Mix | 1 cup sugar |
|  | 2 pkgs. frozen coconut |
|  | 12 oz. sour cream |

Mix cake according to directions on box. Pour into 4 layer pans and bake as directed. Cool layers completely.
Filling: Mix with spoon not mixer. Spread between layers and on top. Store in refrigerator for 3 days before cutting. Keep refrigerated until eaten.

Billie Johnson

## AUNT GRACE'S COCONUT CAKE

| 1 box yellow or white cake | Filling: |
| :---: | :--- |
| mix | 1 cup milk |
|  | 2 pkgs. frozen coconut |
|  | 2 Tbsp. flour |
|  | Juice from 1 lemon |
|  | 2 cups sugar |

Mix and bake cake according to package directions. Filling: Mix all filling ingredients and cook stirring constantly until mixture becomes a little thick. Pour on cake layers while they are hot and while filling is hot. (This will run so be patient and keep spooning mixture on the cake). Refrigerator cake overnight.
"Great Coconut Cake!"
Susan Trollinger

## CRUSTY TOP CREAM CHEESE POUND CAKE

1 cup butter, soft
$1 / 2$ cup shortening
3 cups sugar (softened)

3 cups cake flour
6 eggs
1 Tbsp. vanilla

1-8 oz. pkg. cream cheese

Cream butter and shortening, gradually add sugar; beat well at medium speed. Add cream cheese and beat until light and fluffy. Alternately add flour and eggs. Stir in vanilla. Pour into greased and floured cake pan. Bake at 325 degrees for 1 hour and 30 minutes. *Check cake with toothpick to make sure it is done - cake may need to stay in longer since ovens vary. Cool 10 minutes.

Cindy McIntyre

## DATE CAKE

| 1 cup boiling water | Icing: |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1 / 4$ lb. (1 cup) chopped dates | 4 tbsps. margarine - melted |
| 1 tsp. soda | $1 / 2$ cup light brown sugar |
| 1 cup sugar | 2 tbsp. milk |
| $1 / 2$ cup Crisco | $1 / 2$ cup coconut |
| $1 / 2$ stick margarine | $1 / 2$ cup chopped nuts |
| 1 egg |  |
| $11 / 2$ cups plain flour |  |
| 1 tsp. salt |  |
| 1 tsp. vanilla |  |

Pour boiling water over dates and soda. Let stand while mixing batter. Cream sugar and shortening. Add egg, beat again. Add flour and salt alternately with date and soda mixture. Add vanilla. Pour into greased and floured 9 by 12 inch pan. Bake in 350 degree oven for 45 minutes. Immediately after cake is baked, mix ingredients for icing and spread over cake. Put back into oven and broil until lightly browned. Cool before serving.

## DENVER CHOCOLATE PUDDING CAKE

## 3/4 cup sugar

1/4 tsp. salt

1 cup flour
2 tsp. baking powder

Sift above ingredients. Melt in double boiler: 2 tbsp. butter and 1 square unsweetened chocolate; add to dry ingredients. Add $\mathbf{1 / 2}$ cup milk, $1 / 2$ tsp. vanilla, $1 / 2$ cup walnuts (optional). Mix together. Pour into greased 9 x 9 pan. Mix and sprinkle over top of this, $\mathbf{1 / 2}$ cup sugar, $1 / 2$ cup brown sugar and 4 tbsp. cocoa. Pour $11 / 2$ cup hot water over all. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes. Cool and serve, plain or with ice cream or whipped cream.

Chris Green

## DIRT CAKE

## 1 flower pot

1 1/2 lg. bags oreo cookies
3/4 stick margarine
8 oz . cream cheese softened

4 cups milk
2 small pkgs. instant French
Vanilla Pudding
12 oz cool whip 1/3 cup powdered sugar

Crush cookies in blender and set aside. Cream together in medium bowl margarine, cream cheese and powdered sugar. In a large bowl, mix milk and pudding. When set, fold in cool whip. Blend cream cheese mixture and pudding mixture. Layer oreos and pudding beginning and ending with oreos. Top with artificial flower for the season. I serve with a trowel or other garden tool.

Viola Deal

| EARTHQUAKE CAKE |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 box German Chocolate Cake | 1 cup coconut |
| mix | 8 oz. cream cheese |
| 1 cup chopped pecans | 1 stick butter |
|  | 1 box confectioners sugar |

Grease 9" x 13" pan. Mix nuts and coconut and pour on bottom of pan. Pat down. Mix cake according to directions on box. Pour over nuts and coconut. Melt cream cheese and butter, mix in confectioners sugar. Spoon over cake mixture. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes.

## FRUIT CAKE

PART 1:
2 slices red \& green pineapple - cut
$1 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. red cherries
$1 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. green cherries
1 lb . mixed fruit
1 box white (light) raisins
1 box unsugared dates - cut
3 cups chopped pecans
1 cup English walnuts chopped (sprinkle flour over nuts)

PART 2
1 pound butter
$31 / 2$ cups sugar
12 eggs
2 tbsp. vanilla
2 cups self-rising flour
2 cups plain flour

Cream together all ingredients in part 2. Pour part 1 over part 2 and mix well. Pour all into well-greased roaster pan (no top). Bake at 300 degrees for 30 minutes and stir.
Cook 20 minutes and stir.
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Take out and pack, while hot, in greased tube pan. Let set at least $11 / 2$ hours (overnight) before turning out.
You may want to decorate top of cake with nuts, cherries and pineapple.
Joanna Bradshaw
FRUITED POUND CAKE

1 cup butter
18 oz. pkg. cream cheese
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
4 eggs
1 1/2 tsp. baking powder
$21 / 2$ cups plain flour
1 lb . candied cherries

2 sm. containers green candied pineapple
1/2 cup golden raisins
$1 / 2$ cup dates
1 cup pecans
1 lemon rind grated
Vanilla

Add sugar to soft butter and cream cheese. Mix until creamy. Add eggs one at a time, beating after each. Combine $13 / 4$ cups flour with baking powder and sift. Dredge fruits and nuts in remaining flour. Stir into mixture. Bake at 325 degrees for 1 hour and 10 minutes. Let stand 10 minutes before removing from pan. (I use a tube pan greased and sprinkled with sugar)
(Copied from "Southern Living" 15 years Patsy Ray ago.)

| $11 / 3$ cups sugar | Icing: |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 tsp. soda | $11 / 2$ cups sugar |
| 1 can fruit cocktail (undrained) | 1 stick margarine |
| 2 cups self rising flour | 1 cup pecans (chopped) |
| 2 eggs | 1 cup milk (evaporated) |
|  | 1 cup coconut |

Sift sugar, flour and baking soda in large mixing bowl. Now mix in eggs and fruit cocktail including liquid. Mix well by hand. Pour into 2 buttered 9 inch cake pans. Cook in preheated oven at 350 degrees about 20 minutes or until done. Let cool 10 minutes before icing.
Icing: Mix all ingredients together except coconut and pecans and cook 5 minutes after bringing to a boil. Cool icing a few minutes then add coconut and pecans. Ice layers..

Billie Johnson

## GERMAN STYLE UPSIDE DOWN CAKE

1 cup chopped pecans
1 cup coconut
1 box German Chocolate cake mix (Betty Crocker Super Moist) pudding in mix

1 stick margarine
18 oz. pkg. cream cheese
1 box confectioners sugar

Grease and flour $9 \times 13 \times 2$ sheet cake pan. Layer pecans and coconut on top. Mix cake mix according to directions. Pour cake mix over top of coconut. Mix softened margarine, cream cheese and one box confectioners sugar until well blended by mixer. Drop by spoonfuls until cake is covered. Bake at 325 degrees for 40 to 45 minutes. Remove from oven and let set 5 to 15 minutes. Turn out on foil or square cake dish.

Lila Kirk

## UPSIDE DOWN GERMAN CHOCOLATE CAKE

Sprinkle $11 / 2$ cups chopped pecans and one can coconut in the bottom of a $9 \times 13$ baking pan.
Mix German Chocolate cake mix according to package directions.
Pour over the coconut and pecans.
Cream 1 stick margarine, 1 box powdered sugar, and 1 ( 8 oz. ) package cream cheese. Drop mixture over batter and swirl.
Bake at 350 degrees for $45-50$ minutes. (Time may vary according to your oven.)

Pat Vandiviere

## heart safe Two layer cake

| $11 / 2$ cups sifted flour | 1 cup sugar |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1 / 2$ cup cocoa | Egg beaters or Scramblers equal |
| $1 / 2$ tsp. baking powder 2 eggs |  |
| $1 / 2$ tsp. baking soda | 1 cup low-fat buttermilk |
| 1 cup Fleischmann's margarine | 1 tsp. vanilla |

Pre-heat oven to 350 degrees. Combine and sift flour, baking powder, cocoa and soda. Cream margarine and sugar until light and fluffy. Add egg beaters. Add buttermilk, vanilla and flour. Beat 2 minutes. Bake in 2 nine-inch layer pans.

Patsy Ray

## HUMMINGBIRD CAKE

| 3 cups all-purpose flour | 1 cup chopped pecans |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 cups sugar | 2 cups chopped bananas |
| 1 tsp. baking soda | $1 / 2$ chopped pecans |
| $\mathbf{1}$ tsp. salt |  |
| 1 tsp. ground cinnamon | Cream Cheese Frosting: |
| $\mathbf{3}$ eggs, beaten | $1(8$ oz.) pkg. cream cheese |
| 1 cup vegetable oil | $1 / 2$ cup butter |
| $\mathbf{1} 1 / 2$ tsp. vanilla extract | $1(16$ oz.) box powdered sugar |
| 1 (8 oz.) can crushed | sifted |
| pineapple, undrained | 1 tsp. vanilla extract |

Combine flour, sugar, soda, salt and cinnamon in a large mixing bowl. Add eggs and oil, stirring until dry ingredients are moistened. DO NOT BEAT. Stir in vanilla, pineapple, 1 cup pecans and bananas. Spoon batter into 3 greased and floured 9 inch cake pans. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 to 30 minutes or until a wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool in pans 10 minutes, remove from pans and cool completely. Spread frosting between layers and on top and sides of cake. Sprinkle $1 / 2$ cup pecans on top.
FROSTING: Combine softened cream cheese and butter beating until smooth. Add powdered sugar and vanilla. Beat until light and fluffy. Yield: One frosted 3 layer cake

Billie Johnson

## HERSHEY BAR CAKE

## 1 box Duncan Hines Fudge Cake Mix

3 eggs
3/4 cup oil
1 1/2 cups milk
1 small instant vanilla pudding

Icing:
1 (8 oz.) cream cheese
1/2 cup granulated sugar
1 cup powdered sugar
12 oz . cool whip
4 Hershey bars

Mix well cake mix, eggs, oil, milk and pudding mix. Pour into cake pans and bake at 350 degrees until done.
Icing: Cream together cheese and sugars. Add 12 oz . cool whip and mix well. Spread icing between layers and on top and sides of cake. Chill Hershey bars, grate and sprinkle on icing or mix into icing and spread on cake.

## ICE BOX FRUIT CAKE

| 2 (11 oz.) pkg. vanilla wafers | 1 cup dark raisins |
| :--- | :--- |
| (crushed) | 1 cup chopped figs |
| $1-6$ oz. orange juice | $1-8$ oz. chopped dates |
| $2-1$ lb. pkg. mixed fruit cake | 1 lg. can evaporated milk |
| mix | Dash of salt |
| 1 lb. chopped pecans | $1 / 2$ tsp. nutmeg |
| 1 cup golden raisins | $1 / 2$ tsp. cinnamon |

Mix all ingredients well. Pack in pans and refrigerate at least 2 days before serving. Makes about 5 pounds.

Nancy Holt

## ITALIAN CREME CAKE

1 stick butter
1/2 cup Crisco
2 cups sugar
5 eggs (separated)
2 cups self rising flour
1 tsp. soda
1 cup buttermilk
1 cup pecans
1 cup angel flake coconut
1 tsp. vanilla

Icing:
1-8 oz. pkg. cream cheese
1-3 oz. pkg. cream cheese
1 1/2 box 4 xxxx sugar
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup pecans
3/4 stick butter
milk (enough to spread)

Cream butter, Crisco and sugar. Add egg yolks to sugar and butter mixture. Add flour and soda alternately with buttermilk. Beat egg whites, fold into mixture and add pecans, coconut and vanilla. Pour into 4 layer pans and bake at 350 degrees until done.
ICING: Cream butter, cream cheese and sugar. Add vanilla and pecans.
Add enough milk to make icing spreading consistency.
Handed down from her Mother
Denise Hudson
Marlene Perry Mills

## MILKY WONDER CAKE

6 milky way bars
1 cup butter
2 cups sugar
4 eggs
$21 / 2$ cups sifted flour
1/2 tsp. baking soda
1 1/4 cups buttermilk
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup chopped nuts

ICING:
1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese
1 box powdered sugar
1 stick butter
1 tsp. vanilla nuts if desired

Melt bars and $1 / 2$ cup butter in saucepan over low heat. Cream remaining butter and sugar until fluffy. Add eggs one at a time, beat well. Add flour and soda alternately with buttermilk stir until smooth. Add melted candy, mix well. Stir in vanilla and nuts. Top with icing.

Pam Kirk

## MISSISSIPPI MUD CAKE

2 sticks margarine
1/2 cup cocoa
2 cups sugar
4 eggs beaten
$11 / 2$ cups plain flour
pinch salt
$1 \mathbf{1 / 2}$ cups chopped nuts
1 tsp. vanilla
110 oz . bag miniature marshmallows
Melt margarine over low heat. Add cocoa and mix well. Remove from heat and pour into mixing bowl. Add sugar and mix well. Add eggs and mix well. Add flour, salt, vanilla and nuts. Mix well. Pour into a 9x13 greased and floured pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 35 to 45 minutes. (Center will spring back when done). Remove from oven and cover cake completely with marshmallows. Prepare frosting and pour over cake. (Cake will look lumpy on top - note the name of recipe).
FROSTING: Bring the first 4 ingredients (margarine, milk cocoa and vanilla) to boil. Add sugar and salt beating well. Pour over marshmallows.

Chocolate Frosting:
1 stick margarine
6 Tbsps. milk
1/4 cup cocoa
1 tsp. vanilla
1 box confectioners' sugar
pinch of salt

## NETTIE DODSON'S MOLASSES CAKE

1 cup brown sugar
1/2 Cup Crisco
2 eggs
3/4 cup molasses
2 3/4 cups plain flour

2 tsp. soda
2 tsp. ginger
1 tsp. cinnamon
$1 / 2$ tsp. salt
1 cup Buttermilk
** DO NOT USE A MIXER, STIR BY HAND. Cream Crisco and sugar. Add eggs and beat well. Add combined dry ingredients alternately with milk. Add molasses. Pour into a greased and floured long pan and bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes.

Nancy Holt

## ORANGE CRUSH POUND CAKE

2 3/4 cups sugar
1 cup Crisco
1/2 stick margarine
1 cup Orange Crush Soft Drink or Sunkist
5 eggs
1/2 tsp. salt
3 cups plain flour
1 tsp.. vanilla flavoring
1 tsp. orange flavoring

## Frosting:

6 oz cream cheese softened 1 tsp. vanilla
1 tsp. Orange flavoring 1 box confectionery sugar pinch of salt

Cream shortenings and sugar. Add eggs one at a time beating well after each egg. Add dry ingredients alternately with Orange drink. Starting and ending with flour. Add vanilla and orange flavorings. Bake in a tube pan that has been greased and floured. Bake 1 hour and 20 minutes at 325 degrees. Remove from oven and cool. Frost after cake has cooled. Frosting: Add vanilla and orange flavorings to the cream cheese. Add confectionery sugar and salt. Beat until smooth. If frosting is too stiff, add 1 tsp . of milk at a time until spreading consistency.

Kitty Bradshaw

## PALMETTO CAKE (Old English Recipe)

| $1 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. butter | 1 box seedless raisins |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 lb. sugar | $1 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. candied cherries |
| 6 eggs | (red or green) |
| 1 lb. flour | 1 tsp. almond extract |
| 2 tsp. baking powder | $1 / 2$ tsp. lemon extract |
| 1 fresh coconut ( grated) | $1 / 2$ tsp. vanilla |
| milk from coconut | $1 / 2$ tsp. salt (optional) |

Cream butter, add sugar gradually, add beaten eggs. Add flavorings, sifted flour and baking powder. Fold in coconut, milk from coconut, raisins and cherries which have been lightly floured. Line tube pan with wax paper. Begin baking cake at 275 degrees for one and one-half hour then turn oven up to 300 degrees and bake for $1 / 2$ hour longer.
"This cake is beautiful for Christmas or Easter and is delicious. My Mother began making this in 1966 and we loved it."

Rebecca Crawford

## PETITE ORANGE FRUIT CAKE

| 1 cup white sugar | TOPPING: |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{2}$ eggs | $\mathbf{3 / 4}$ cup sugar |
| $\mathbf{1}$ tsp. soda | $\mathbf{1}$ tbsp. grated orange rind |
| $\mathbf{1}$ pkg. dates (chopped) | $1 / 2$ cup orange juice |
| $\mathbf{1}$ grated orange rind |  |
| $\mathbf{1 / 2}$ cup butter |  |
| $\mathbf{2}$ cups sifted flour |  |
| $\mathbf{1}$ cup chopped pecans |  |
| $2 / 3$ cup buttermilk |  |

Cream shortening and sugar until light. Add eggs one at a time. Sift dry ingredients together. Add dates and nuts to dry mixture. Alternately add dry mixture and buttermilk to the shortening and egg mixture. Blend in the orange rind. Grease miniature muffin tin and fill $1 / 2$ to $3 / 4$ full. Bake at 375 degrees for 15 to 20 minutes. Makes 5 dozen

Topping: Bring sugar, orange juice and rind to boil. Pour slowly over little cakes while they are still hot.

Peggy Hamlett

## PINEAPPLE SHEET CAKE

1 (11b. 4 oz.$)$ can crushed pineapple
$21 / 4$ cups sifted plain flour
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
1 tsp. salt
3/4 tsp. baking powder
3/4 tsp. soda
1/2 tsp. nutmeg

1 tsp. vanilla
2 large eggs
2/3 cup salad oil
Icing:
3/4 stick margarine
$1 / 4$ cup milk or cream
$11 / 2$ cups confectioners' sugar

Drain pineapple in strainer. Sift flour, salt, baking powder and soda together. Add spice, vanilla and sugar. Add drained pineapple, eggs and oil to dry mixture. Beat 1 minute at medium speed. Turn into greased 9 x $13 \times 2$ inch pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 35 minutes. Cool in pan . Mix icing ingredients and beat until creamy. Spread icing on cooled cake.

Ethel Cheek

## POTLUCK SUPPER CAKE

Bake white cake mix according to instructions for 9 x13 pan. While cake is still warm, poke several holes in it with a wooden spoon handle, and pour one can sweetened condensed milk over cake. After this cools, spread one tub of whipped topping over cake and sprinkle with coconut. Refrigerate overnight and serve cold. Keep refrigerated.

Lynn Vandiviere Winship

## PUNCH BOWL CAKE

1 yellow cake mix
2 pkgs. vanilla instant pudding
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2 cans fruit cocktail drained
2 cans cherry pie filling

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2 cans pineapple - drained
1 pkg. coconut
2 small containers cool whip
Pecan pieces

Prepare yellow cake mix according to package directions making 2 layers. Cool completely. Prepare vanilla instant pudding according to package directions. Place 1 cake layer on bottom of punch bowl. Spread with $1 / 2$ of vanilla pudding, 1 can cherry pie filling, 1 can pineapple, 1 can fruit cocktail and $1 / 2$ coconut. Repeat . Keep cake in refrigerator overnight. Add cool whip and pecan pieces just before serving.

Phyllis Padgett

## COLD OVEN POUND CAKE

3 sticks softened Promise
margarine
3 cups sugar
5 eggs
1 cup sweet milk
$31 / 2$ cups plain flour 1/4 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. baking powder
2 tsp. vanilla

Blend margarine and sugar. Add eggs and blend. Then add dry ingredients alternately with milk. Add vanilla. Bake in a tube pan for 1 $1 / 2$ hours at 300 degrees. (Turn oven on when cake is placed in oven).

Decie Kenyon

## POUND CAKE

3 sticks margarine
3 cups sugar
5 eggs
3 1/2 cups plain Red Band Flour

1/4 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. baking powder
$11 / 4$ cups sweet milk
1 tsp. vanilla
1 tsp. lemon flavoring

Cream margarine and sugar. Add eggs one at time beating well after each addition. Sift dry ingredients together and add alternately with milk. Mix well. Add vanilla flavoring and lemon flavoring to mixture. Bake in a 300 degree oven for 1 hour and 45 minutes.

## POUND CAKE DELIGHT

$31 / 2$ cups plain flour sifted
$1 / 2$ cup sugar (granulated)
1 tsp. baking powder
13 oz. pkg. lemon Jello (may use orange)
1 cup margarine
1/2 cup Crisco

1 box confectioners' sugar (sifted)
6 large eggs
1 cup milk
1 tsp. lemon extract
1 tsp. coconut extract
1 tsp. orange extract

Sift flour, granulated sugar, baking powder and Jello together 2 or 3 times to mix well. Cream shortening, margarine and confectioners' sugar. Add eggs one at a time, cream thoroughly. Add dry ingredients alternately with milk, ending with flour. Add flavoring before the last flour addition. Bake in a large tube pan $11 / 2$ hours at 325 degrees. Let cool in pan for 15 minutes then remove to rack. * This is a very moist cake and keeps at least 2 weeks if well hidden!!

Nancy Holt

## PUMPKIN CAKE

4 eggs
2 cups sugar
1 cup salad oil
2 cups plain flour
2 tsp. cinnamon
2 tsp. soda
$1 / 2$ tsp. salt
1 tsp. vanilla
2 cups cooked pumpkin

Icing:
4 oz . softened cream cheese
$1 / 2$ stick softened margarine
2 tbsp. milk
1/2 box confectioners' sugar

Blend oil, sugar and eggs. Add dry ingredients and blend well. Blend pumpkin and vanilla. Pour into greased and floured tube pan and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.
Icing: Blend cream cheese, margarine, milk and sugar in a saucepan over low heat . Drizzle mixture on top of cake while it is still warm enough to pour from saucepan.

## RED VELVET CAKE

| 1/2 Cup Crisco | 1 tbsp. vinegar |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{1 1 / 2}$ Cups sugar | 1 tsp. soda |
| $\mathbf{2}$ eggs | 2 oz. red food coloring |
| $\mathbf{2 1 / 4}$ cups plain or cake flour |  |
| Pinch of salt | Butter Icing: |
| 3 tbsp. cocoa | 1 cup milk |
| 1 cup buttermilk | 3 Tbsp. plain flour |
| 1 tsp. vanilla | 1 cup sugar |
|  | 1 cup margarine |
|  | 1 tsp. vanilla |
|  | pinch of salt |

Cream sugar, shortening and eggs well. Add food coloring. Sift together flour, salt and cocoa. Add to mixture alternately with buttermilk and vanilla. Dissolve soda in vinegar and stir into cake mixture. DO NOT BEAT. Pour into $8^{\prime \prime}$ round or square greased and floured cake pans.
Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.
Butter Icing: Add milk gradually to salt and flour; making a smooth paste. Cook, stirring constantly for 5 to 7 minutes or until thick. COOL thoroughly. Cream butter and sugar for about 7 minutes. Add cool milk paste a little at a time beating until fluffy. Stir in vanilla.

## Patricia Ross

## SOUR CREAM COFFEE CAKE

1 cup margarine
2 cups sugar
2 eggs
18 pkg . cream cheese (softened)
1 tsp. vanilla

2 cups plain flour
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. baking powder
1 cup chopped nuts
4 Tbsp. cinnamon/sugar (3 of sugar, 1 of cinnamon)

Blend margarine, cream cheese and sugar. Add eggs and vanilla. Add dry ingredients and nuts. Sprinkle cinnamon sugar on top of batter after it has been poured into tube pan. Stir in with just 2 or 3 stirs so it is not completely blended into batter. Bake at 350 degrees for approximately 50 minutes.

## WHITE LAYER CAKE

1/2 cup margarine, softened
1 tsp. vanilla extract
1/2 tsp. almond extract
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
$21 / 2$ cups sifted cake flour
$11 / 2$ tsp. baking powder
$11 / 3$ cups buttermilk
4 egg whites, at room
temperature
1 recipe for 7 -minute frosting

Cream together the margarine, vanilla extract, almond extract and all but $1 / 4$ cup of the sugar. Sift together the flour, baking powder and add the creamed mixture alternately with the buttermilk, starting and ending with the dry ingredients.
Beat the egg whites until foamy. Gradually add the remaining $1 / 4$ cup of sugar and beat to stiff peaks. Fold into batter and pour into 29 -inch layer cake pans lined with wax paper.
Bake at 350 degrees for about 30 minutes. Cool 10 minutes and remove from pans. When cake is thoroughly cool, frost with a flavored 7 minute frosting.

## Variations:

Fill layers with jam or an acceptable pudding mix which may be combined with fruit. Example: put lemon pudding between layers and ice with lemon flavored 7 -minute frosting.
Fill layers with fruits or pudding and dribble flavored confectioners' glaze over the top and side of the cake.
Submitted by Pat Griggs
American Heart Association

## WILLIAMSBURG ORANGE CAKE

1/2 cup margarine
1 cup sugar
4 egg whites, unbeaten
2 tsp . grated orange rind
1 tsp. vanilla extract
1 cup seedless raisins

1/2 cup seedless golden raisins
1/2 cup chopped walnuts
2 cup sifted cake flour
1 tsp. baking soda
1 cup buttermilk

Cream the margarine and sugar until fluffy. Thoroughly blend in the unbeaten egg whites, orange rind, vanilla, raisins and walnuts. Sift the flour with the baking soda and add to the batter alternately with the buttermilk, beginning and ending with the flour mixture.
Pour into a $9 \times 9$ inch oiled and floured square cake pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 to 40 minutes. Yields 12 servings. Approximately 425 calories per serving with frosting.
Frosting:
1/2 cup soft margarine
2 cups confectioners sugar
1 tsp. vanilla extract
Cream together margarine, confectioners sugar and vanilla until fluffy. Use to frost cooled cake.

Pat Griggs

## CARAMEL FROSTING

| $1 / 2$ cup butter | 1 cup brown sugar packed |
| :--- | :--- |
| $13 / 4$ cups sifted confectioners' | $1 / 2$ cup sweet milk |
| sugar |  |

Melt butter in saucepan, add brown sugar and boil over low heat for 2 minutes stirring constantly. Add sweet milk and continue to stir until it comes to a full boil. Remove from heat and let cool. Add confectioners' sugar and beat until right consistency to spread.
Submitted by her daughter
Lora Wilkerson Priscilla Lloyd

## CARAMEL ICING

1 box brown sugar 2 cups white sugar $11 / 2$ cups evaporated milk
$1 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. butter
1 Tbsp. flour
1 tsp. vanilla

Mix flour and sugars together, then add milk and cook until it forms into a soft ball. Add butter and vanilla. Beat until smooth.. This amount will ice a very thin 6 layer cake.
Submitted by Betty Dodson
Mrs. Duke Dodson

## CARAMEL ICING

## 3 sticks margarine

## 1 cup carnation milk

 2 boxes brown sugarMelt margarine, add brown sugar and milk. Cook stirring constantly until mixture forms a soft ball in cold water. Remove from heat, beat until creamy. Spread on cake. (Will ice a three layer cake)

Ann Nicholson

## CHOCOLATE FUDGE FROSTING

3 tbsp. cocoa powder 1 cup sugar
1/3 cup evaporated skim milk

3 tbsp. safflower oil
1 tsp. vanilla

In medium sauce pan, combine all ingredients except vanilla. Bring to a boil, reduce heat and simmer 1 minute. Remove from heat. Add vanilla, beat 5 minutes. Spread over cake. Will cover one 9 by 13 sheet cake.
Add additional milk if needed for a creamier spreading consistency.
From "Don't Eat Your Heart Out,"
a Cookbook by Joseph Piscatella

## CHOCOLATE CAKE FILLING

## 3 cups sugar

3 squares chocolate melted 2 tbsp. white syrup

1 stick margarine
pinch of salt
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup evaporated milk

Mix together and cook to a soft ball stage.
Marybelle Kirk
"With weights and measures just and true.
Oven of even heat:
Well buttered tins and quiet nerves.
Success will be complete."
COOK BOOK - Ladies Aid Society of Presbyterian Church Chipley, Florida 1912

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## Candies \& Cookies



## CHOCOLATE BALLS

12 oz . package semi-sweet chocolate bits
3 tbsp. white corn syrup
$1 / 2$ cup concentrated orange juice
$21 / 2$ cups crushed vanilla wafers
1 cup chopped walnuts or pecans
$1 / 2$ cup confectioners' sugar

Melt chocolate bits over low heat. Add all remaining ingredients except powdered sugar. Mix and make walnut size balls. Roll in powdered sugar and store in refrigerator 2 or 3 days.

## CHEESE FUDGE

| $1 / 2$ pound velveeta cheese | 1 tsp . vanilla |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1 / 2$ pound margarine | $1 / 2$ cup cocoa |
| 2 pounds confectioners sugar | 1 cup chopped nuts |

Melt margarine and cheese together. Add confectioners sugar, vanilla and cocoa. Mix until smooth. Mix in the nuts. Pour into a dish lined with wax paper. Put dish into refrigerator until cool. Cut into small squares.

Serene Bartholomew

## PECAN CONFECTIONS

1 egg white
1 cup brown sugar
Pinch of salt

1 level tbsp. flour
1 cup finely chopped pecans

Beat egg white to stiff froth. Gradually add sugar, salt and flour. Continue beating. Stir in nuts. Drop on greased cookie sheet by spoonful placing far apart. Bake in a very slow oven ( 300 to 325 degrees) for about 15 minutes. Remove from cookie sheet when partly cooled.

Yield: about 2 dozen
Submitted by her daughter
Lora T. Wilkerson
Priscilla Lloyd

## GOLDEN PEANUT BRITTLE

3 cups raw peanuts 1-1/2 tsp. baking soda
1/2 tsp. salt
2 cups sugar

1 cup light corn syrup
1/2 cup water
$1 / 4$ cup margarine

Spread peanuts evenly in a $15 \times 10 \times 1$ inch pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 15 minutes. Set aside. Combine soda and salt and set aside. Combine sugar, syrup and water and cook over low heat stirring occasionally until mixture reaches soft crack stage ( 275 degrees) Add peanuts, cook stirring CONSTANTLY until mixture reaches hard crack stage ( 300 degrees). Remove from heat, stir in butter and soda mixture.

Working rapidly, spread mixture thinly onto 2 buttered $15 \times 10 \times 1$ inch pan. Let cool, break into pieces.

Yields about 2 1/2 pounds.

## Decie Kenyon

## SEA FOAM DIVINITY

1 cup light brown sugar
1 cup sugar
1/4 tsp. salt
1 tbsp. corn syrup

1 cup broken nuts
3/4 cup water
2 stiffly beaten egg whites
1 tsp. vanilla

Mix sugar, salt, corn syrup and water in saucepan. Boil gently without stirring until small amount of syrup dropped in cold water forms a hard ball or until candy thermometer registers 254 degrees. Slowly pour hot syrup into beaten egg whites, beating constantly, using a spoon as syrup thickens, add vanilla and nuts. Beat until mixture looses some of its gloss and drops without spreading. Drop by spoonfuls onto greased or wax paper lined platters. Let stand 20 to 30 minutes.

Yield: 3 dozen.
Decie Kenyon

## BROWNIES

| $11 / 3$ sticks margarine | $22 / 3$ cups plain flour |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 cups light brown sugar | $1 / 2$ tsp. salt |
| 3 large eggs | $11 / 2$ tsp. baking powder |
| $1(8$ oz. $)$ pkg. chocolate chips | 1 tsp. vanilla |

Sift together flour, salt and baking powder. Melt margarine and add brown sugar. Let cool. Beat in eggs and dry ingredients. Add chips, nuts and vanilla. Bake in $81 / 2 \times 11$ inch pan for 25 to 30 minutes at 375 degree.
"I usually switch oven between 350 and 375 degrees."
Rebecca Crawford

## BROWNIES

$13 / 4$ sticks margarine
3/4 cup cocoa
4 eggs
2 cups sugar

2 tsp. vanilla
$11 / 3$ cups plain flour
1/2 tsp. salt
1 tsp. baking powder

In a saucepan, melt margarine and cocoa. In a large mixing bowl, beat the eggs for 3 minutes (very important). Add sugar and mix well. Add chocolate mixture. Add vanilla. Mix flour, baking powder and salt. Mix together and blend well. Bake 30 minutes at 350 degrees.

Leta Bradshaw

## BROWNIES

| 4 eggs | 1 cup Wesson oil |
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| 2 cups sugar | 1 cup chopped nuts |
| 1 cup self-rising flour | 2 tsp. vanilla |
| 4 heaping tsp. cocoa |  |

Beat eggs until light and fluffy. Add sugar and mix well. Add fiour and cocoa that has been sifted together. Add oil, nuts and vanilla and mix well. Bake for about 30 minutes in 350 degree oven.

## BROWN SUGAR BROWNIES

| 1 box brown sugar | $11 / 2$ tsp. vanilla |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 sticks margarine | 1 cup nuts |
| 3 eggs |  |
| $11 / 2$ cups self rising flour |  |

Melt margarine. Mix all ingredients well. Pour into a $101 / 2 \times 15$ inch pan. Bake at 325 degrees for 30 minutes.

Barbara Sykes

## FUDGE BROWNIES

| $1 / 2$ cup butter or margarine <br> 1 cup sugar | $2(1 \mathrm{oz}$.$) squares unsweetened$ <br> chocolate |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{1}$ tsp. vanilla | $1 / 2$ cup all purpose flour |
| 2 eggs | $1 / 2$ cup chopped nuts |

Cream butter and sugar together. Add vanilla. Add eggs and beat well. Blend in melted chocolate. Stir flour and nuts. Bake in greased pan at 325 degrees for 30 to 35 minutes. Cool and frost.

ICING: Melt $\mathbf{1 / 2}$ of $\mathbf{1} \mathbf{~ o z}$. square unsweetened chocolate with $\mathbf{1}$ tbsp. milk over very low heat stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Add 3/4 cup sifted confectioners sugar. Beat until spreadable

Patricia Ross

## BUTTER COOKIES

1 cup butter or margarine
1 cup sugar
1 egg
3 to 4 cups plain flour

4 tbsp. buttermilk
1 tsp. soda
1 tsp. vanilla
$1 / 2$ tsp. salt

Cream butter and sugar. Add egg. Dissolve soda and salt in buttermilk and mix with butter and sugar. Add enough plain flour to make a biscuit dough (approximately $31 / 2$ to 4 cups). Refrigerate dough several hours for crisper cookies. Roll out thin on a floured surface, cut and bake at 375 degrees (on ungreased cookie sheet) until golden brown.
"These cookies freeze and go with anything."

## CARAMEL LAYER CHOCOLATE - SQUARES

42 light caramels
1/3 cup evaporated milk
1 pkg. German Chocolate cake mix
3/4 cup butter or margarine melted

1/3 cup evaporated milk
1 cup chopped pecans or walnuts
1 cup ( $6 \mathrm{oz} . \mathrm{pkg}$.) chocolate chips

In the top of a double boiler, combine caramels and $1 / 3$ cup evaporated milk. Cook over boiling water, stirring constantly until caramels are melted. Set aside.

Generously grease and lightly flour $13 \times 9$ inch baking pan.
In a large mixing bowl, combine dry cake mix, melted butter, evaporated milk and nuts. Stir by hand until dough holds together. Press 1/2 of dough into prepared pan (save remaining dough for topping). Bake at 350 degrees for 6 minutes. Remove from oven and sprinkle chocolate chips over baked crust. Spread caramel mixture over chocolate pieces. Crumble reserved dough over caramel mixture. (It will spread out as it bakes).

Return to oven and bake for 16 minutes. Remove from oven and cool overnight so that caramel layer sets and flavors intermingle. Cut into bars.

Diane Kress

## CHOCOLATE OATMEAL COOKIES

| 4 cups sugar | 1 cup peanut butter |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1 / 2$ cup cocoa | 4 cups quick oatmeal |
| 1 stick butter | 2 tsp. vanilla |
| $1 / 4$ tsp. salt |  |
| 1 cup milk |  |

Mix sugar, cocoa, butter, salt and milk. Bring to bubbly boil, boil 3 minutes. Remove from heat. Add peanut butter, oatmeal and vanilla. Put into greased $9 \times 11$ inch sheet cake pan. Let cool, cut into squares.

Shirley Rishel

## GOLF BALL COOKIES

| $21 / 2$ cups graham cracker | 17 oz. pkg. coconut |
| :---: | :--- |
| crumbs | 1 box powdered sugar |
| $11 / 2$ cups chopped pecans | 2 sticks margarine |
| $1(12$ oz. jar crunchy peanut |  |
| butter |  |

Melt 2 sticks margarine. Mix together graham cracker crumbs and powdered sugar. Pour melted margarine over mixture and mix. Add remaining ingredients and mix well with your hands. Roll into small balls

Melt $1 / 2$ block paraffin was with 12 oz . chocolate chips in double boiler. Dip balls until coated. Place balls on wax paper. Put in refrigerator until very cold. May be stored in jars. Makes over 100 balls.

Peggy Hamlett

## GRANDMA BICKEL'S COOKIE RECIPE

2 cups raisins 1 1/2 cups cold water 1 tsp. baking soda
2 cups sugar 1 cup Crisco shortening 3 eggs

1 tsp. vanilla
4 cups flour
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. baking powder
1 pkg. chocolate chips
1 cup chopped peanuts or walnuts

Soak raisins in water in a saucepan. Then place on stove and boil for 5 minutes. Remove from heat. Add baking soda. Cool.

In mixing bowl, cream together sugar, Crisco, eggs and vanilla. Add the cooled raisin mixture. Sift together flour, salt, baking powder. Add to the other mixture.

Fold in chocolate chips and chopped nuts. Bake at 400 degrees until golden brown and firm, approximately 8 to 10 minutes.

Makes 9 dozen cookies.
Diane Kress

## LEMON SQUARES

| Crust: | Filling: |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 cup margarine | 4 eggs |
| $1 / 2$ cup powdered sugar | $13 / 4$ cups sugar |
| 2 cups plain flour | $1 / 3$ cup lemon juice |
|  | $1 / 2$ tsp. baking powder |
|  | $1 / 3$ cup plain flour |

Crust: Cream margarine and sugar. Stir in flour with wooden spoon. Spread in bottom and sides of a $13 \times 9$ inch pan. Bake 15 to 20 minutes at 350 degrees.

Filling: Combine all filling ingredients in blender and mix until smooth. Pour over baked crust and bake 20 to 25 minutes at 350 degrees until light brown. Cool on wire rack and sprinkle with powdered sugar. Cut in squares.

Leta Bradshaw

## MOLASSES PECAN COOKIES

1/2 cup margarine
3/4 cup sugar
1 egg
1/3 cup molasses (Grandma's)
$11 / 2$ cup plain flour
1/2 tsp. salt
3/4 tsp. soda
3/4 cup chopped pecans

Cream together margarine, sugar, egg and molasses until mixture is smooth. Combine dry ingredients and add to creamed mixture; mix well. Stir in chopped pecans and drop from tip of teaspoon onto greased cookie sheets spacing cookies two inches apart. Bake at 325 degrees approximately 15 minutes. Yields at least 4 dozen cookies.

Joanna Bradshaw

## NUT ROLLS

1 box Graham Crackers 1 small can pet milk 1 lg . bag marshmallows

2 cups chopped pecans
1 box raisins

Crush graham crackers save out about $1 / 2$ cup to roll bars in. Heat milk and marshmallows until melted over low heat stirring to keep from burning. Mix cracker crumbs, nuts and raisins in a large bowl. Pour marshmallow mix over crumbs and mix with hands. Shape in to ball and chill until you can make into bars or rolls. Use reserved crumbs to coat. Decorate with nuts and cherries if desired. These make nice gifts. They can be frozen or kept in the refrigerator for several weeks. Makes about 3 large or 6 small rolls.

Kitty Bradshaw
FUDGE OATMEAL COOKIES

2 cups sugar
1/2 cup milk
3 tbsp. cocoa 1 stick margarine

3 cups quick Quaker oats
1/2 cup peanut butter
1 tsp. vanilla

Bring sugar, milk, cocoa and margarine to boil. Boil for 2 to 3 minutes. Remove from heat and add peanut butter (crunchy), and vanilla. Stir in oatmeal. Mix well. Drop by teaspoonful on wax paper. Cool.

Alisa Kenyon Hill and
Bonnie Kirk (Michael's favorite)

## PEANUT BUTTER CRUNCH

1 cup peanut butter
1 cup corn syrup
1 cup sugar

4 cups corn flakes
2 cups rice krispies

Put sugar and syrup in saucepan over low heat until sugar dissolves. Add peanut butter and stir well. Remove from heat and add corn flakes and rice krispies. Put into pan or make into balls. Very good at breakfast time.

Marybelle Kirk

## PEANUT BUTTER DELIGHTS

2 cups sugar
3 level tbsps. cocoa
1/2 cup milk 1 stick margarine

1/2 cup peanut butter
1 tsp. vanilla
$21 / 2$ cups quick oatmeal

Combine sugar, cocoa, milk and margarine. Bring to boil and boil for 1 and $1 / 2$ minutes. Remove from heat. Add peanut butter, vanilla and oatmeal.. Mix well. Drop by teaspoonfuls on wax paper. Spread slightly. Makes about 30.

Vickie Felmet McGee and Ann Bradshaw Whitlow

## PEANUT BUTTER SQUARES

2 cups peanut butter (plain or crunchy)
1 box confectioners sugar

1 cup graham cracker crumbs 3 sticks melted margarine

Mix all ingredients. Press into a $9 \times 13$ inch pan. Top with a 12 ounce package of melted milk chocolate chips. Refrigerate.

Lauren Kirk

## RICE KRISPIES GOODIES

## 1 stick margarine

1 cup chopped dates
1 cup chopped nuts
1 cup sugar

1 cup coconut
1 egg
1/2 tsp. vanilla
$21 / 2$ cups rice krispies cereal

Combine all except cereal and bring to boil. Lower the heat and stir until thick. Pour over rice krispies and mix with your hands. Roll into balls and cool slightly. Put some powdered sugar in a plastic bag and add a few balls and shake to coat. Let cool completely. Store in an air tight container. These make nice gifts at Christmas.

## HOLIDAY SHORTBREAD DROPS

1 cup butter or margarine
1/2 cup sugar
1 egg yolk
2 tsp. vanilla
$1 / 4$ tsp. salt

2 cups all-purpose flour
1 cup raisins
1 cup chopped walnuts or pecans

Cream butter and sugar. Blend in egg yolk, vanilla and salt. Mix well. Stir in flour. Mix in raisins and nuts. Drop by small teaspoon onto greased cookie sheet. Bake at 400 degrees for 10 to 15 minutes or until lightly browned on bottom. yield - approximately 4 dozen

Joanna Bradshaw

## ROCKY ROAD FUDGE BARS

## Base:

1/2 cup margarine or butter 1 oz. ( 1 sq.) semi-sweet or milk chocolate broken into pieces
1 cup all purpose or unbleached flour sifted
1 cup sugar
1 1/8 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. vanilla
2 eggs
3/4 cup chopped nuts

## Frosting:

2 cups miniature marshmallows
1/4 cup butter or margarine
1/8 to $1 / 4$ cup milk
1 oz . (1 sq.) semi-sweet chocolate
broken. into pieces
2 oz . reserved cream cheese
3 cups sifted confectioners sugar
1 tsp. vanilla

## Filling:

8 oz . cream cheese softened (reserve 2 oz . cream cheese for frosting)
$1 / 4$ to $1 / 2$ cup butter or margarine softened
2 tbsp. flour
1/2 cup sugar
$1 / 2$ tsp. vanilla
1 egg
1/4 cup chopped nuts
6 oz. pkg. semi-sweet or milk chocolate chips.

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Grease and flour $13 \times 9$ inch. pan. In a large saucepan over low heat, melt $1 / 2$ cup margarine or butter and 1 oz . chocolate, stirring constantly until smooth. Lightly spoon flour into measuring cup; level off. Add 1 cup flour and remaining base ingredients. Mix well. Spread into prepared pan.

In a small bowl, combine all filling ingredients except $1 / 4$ cup nuts and chocolate chips. Beat 1 minute at medium speed until smooth and fluffy; stir in nits. Spread over chocolate mixture; sprinkle evenly with chocolate chips. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 to 35 minutes.

While baking: In a large saucepan over low heat, combine $1 / 4$ cup margarine or butter, 1 oz . broken chocolate and reserved 2 oz . cream cheese; stir until well blended. Remove from heat; stir in confectioners' sugar and drizzle in milk, alternately until consistency of frosting that can be poured (not too thin). Add vanilla and stir until smooth.

Remove fudge from oven when finished baking. Toothpick should come out clean when inserted. Immediately sprinkle with marshmallows and return to oven an additional 2 minutes. Remove and pour frosting over marshmallows on fudge while it is still hot. Cool or refrigerate until firm. Cut into 36 to 48 bars.

Pam de Friess

## SPICED APPLE \& RAISIN SNACK MIX

## 2 tbsp margarine <br> 1 tbsp firmly packed brown sugar <br> 4 cups Quaker Oat Squares Cereal

1 cup firmly packed dried apple chunks
3/4 cup raisins
1 tsp. cinnamon

Melt margarine in 3 quart saucepan over medium heat. Stir in brown sugar and cinnamon. Add cereal, apples, raisins and mix until pieces are evenly coated. Store tightly covered in refrigerator up to 5 days. Yield: approximately 6 cups

Microwave directions: In 4 quart microwave bowl microwave margarine at high for 30 seconds or until melted. Stir in brown sugar and cinnamon. Proceed as directed above.

Bonnie Kirk

## SWEDISH HEIRLOOM COOKIES

| $1 / 2$ cup shortening | $1 / 2$ cup margarine |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 tsp. vanilla | 1 tbsp. water |
| 2 cups all-purpose flour | 1 cup powdered sugar |
| 1 tsp. almond flavoring | $11 / 4$ cups ground pecans |
| $1 / 2$ tsp. salt | Powdered sugar |

Cream shortening and margarine until fluffy. Add the cup of powdered sugar. Cream well. Blend in flour, add water and flavorings. Stir in nuts, shape into 1 inch size balls. Put on ungreased cookie sheet. Press each one slightly. Bake at 325 degrees 12 to 15 minutes. Remove from pan and roll in powdered sugar.

Ethel Cheek

## Cooking <br> for

a Crowd


## FUND RAISING BAR-B-QUE SAUCE

| 3 cups salt | 1 cup ground red pepper |
| :--- | :--- |
| 4 cups dark brown sugar | 5 gallons cider vinegar |
| 2 cups crushed red peppers |  |

Mix all ingredients and bring to a full rolling boil. This recipe makes 5 gallons.

June Bradshaw

## BAR-B-QUE SAUCE

1 cup salt
$11 / 3$ cups dark brown sugar 2/3 cup crushed red pepper

1/3 cup ground red pepper
$12 / 3$ gal. vinegar (not white vinegar)

Bring all ingredients to full rolling boil. "I use this for one pig or 6 shoulders." Note: $11 / 4 \mathrm{oz}$. box of ground pepper is equal to $1 / 3$ cup. 3 oz. jar crushed red peppers is equal to one cup.

June Bradshaw

## HOLT'S BAR-B-QUE PIG SAUCE

1 pint vinegar
$1 / 2$ cup water
1 tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
1 tbsp. Tabasco sauce

1 tbsp. chili powder
2 tbsp. paprika
3 tbsp. black pepper
1 small bottle catsup
3/4 tsp. dry mustard

Mix all ingredients and bring to boil for 5 to 10 minutes. Seal in containers. This will last forever without refrigeration. In fact, the sauce gets better with age.

* Makes 1 quart sauce. Add crushed RED peppers if you want super hot sauce.
"This recipe was used for many of the Cane Creek B-B-Q fund raising events for 8 years."


## BRUNSWICK STEW

3 old hens
3 fryers
2 lb . pork
3 lb . beef
15 lb . potatoes
6 qt. tomatoes
$1 / 2$ gallon onions ( $\mathbf{3} \mathbf{l b}$. )
6 pints white corn
3 lb . small dried butter beans

> 1 1/2 lb. Mrs. Filbert's margarine
$11 / 2$ tbsp. crushed red pepper
1 tbsp. black pepper
1/4 cup vinegar
1/2 cup sugar
8 oz. Lea \& Perrin Worcestershire sauce
salt (optional)

Cook chickens, debone and cut into small pieces. Cook pork and beef together and chop. Save juices and strain to avoid small bones. Cook potatoes in water and mash. Cook dried beans and mash. Cook onions and blend in blender. Add in this order. Spray BIG pot with Pam. Melt margarine and add tomatoes, meats, onions, corn. Add beans and potatoes LAST. Add seasonings and stir to keep from sticking. This will need to heat and simmer for several hours. Stir often. Cool and freeze. Makes 5 gallons.

Kitty Bradshaw

## BAKED CHICKEN

1/4 chicken per person Salt \& pepper to taste ( 13 chickens for 50 people)

Cut chicken into quarters. Salt and pepper and place in baking pans sprayed with Pam. Cover with foil and bake in a low oven 300 degrees for 2 hours. Uncover and bake 15 to 20 minutes at 350 degrees. Cane Creek Baptist Church

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## CHICKEN CASSEROLE (Serves 50)

| 17 lb. chicken boned (4 or 5 | 5 cups uncooked rice |
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| large chickens) | 4 cups water |
| 5 cans cream of mushroom soup | $8-10$ cups chicken broth |
| 5 cans cream of chicken soup | 5 tsp. sage |
| 3 cups celery | Salt and pepper |
| 3 cups onion |  |

Cook chicken and debone it. Chop meat into small pieces. In large pan, add soups, celery, onion, water, broth, salt, pepper and sage. Cook until onions and celery are tender. Add chicken and rice. Simmer over low heat until rice is done or spoon into $10 \times 15$ pan and bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.
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## CHILI (Serves 100)

25 lb . hamburger
3 lb . bacon cooked and crumbled 10 medium onions chopped

25 (16 oz.) cans tomato sauce 25 ( 15 or 20 oz.) cans kidney beans
3/4 cup chili powder

Brown ground beef. Drain off (layer on paper towels). Cook onion in bacon grease Drain. Put all together and cook until it boils. Simmer 45 minutes to one hour. Salt and pepper to taste.

Anne Hawkins

## FUND RAISING HOT DOG CHILI (Serves 225)

7 lb . lean ground beef
2 large onions
1 tbsp. oil
1 lg. can tomato juice
1 lg . can tomato sauce

16 oz . catsup
3/4 box ( 4 oz . size) chili powder salt and sugar
Worcestershire sauce

Brown meat and drain. Sauté onion and add meat, juice, catsup, tomato sauce and chili powder. Simmer about 30 minutes. Add salt, sugar and Worcestershire sauce to taste. Simmer about 30 minutes. Add spices a small amount at a time. Adjust to your taste. Any leftover freezes well.
Kitty Bradshaw
Dale Andrews

## HOMEMADE HOT DOG CHILI (Serves 30)

3 lb . lean hamburger 3 tbsp. vinegar<br>1 bottle Heinz Catsup<br>3 tbsp. brown sugar<br>1 tbsp. chili powder<br>Texas Pete as desired

Mix ingredients in saucepan. Cook and stir until hamburger is done. Simmer for 15 minutes to 3 hours to blend flavors.
Chris Gambill's Mother
Ruth Gambill

## BEST EVER BARBECUED HAMBURGER (114 Servings)

20 lb . ground beef
$11 / 4$ cups shortening
20 large onions, peeled
20 green peppers
$21 / 2$ cups sugar
$21 / 4$ cups vinegar
15 cups catsup
$11 / 4$ cups dry mustard
$62 / 3$ tbsp. salt

Brown beef in shortening, stirring occasionally until mixture is crumbly. Put onions and peppers through food chopper. Combine with sugar, vinegar, catsup, mustard and salt. Add to meat. If you bake this mixture instead of cooking on top of range, first rinse out the pan with cold water but do not dry it. This will help prevent the meat mixture from sticking to the pan.

Anne Hawkins

## BARBECUED ROAST (Serves 50)

20 lb arm or chuck roast or

brisket $\quad$| Salt and pepper to taste |
| :--- |
| 2 bottles barbecue sauce |

Spray pans with Pam. Salt and pepper meat. Pour sauce over meat, add a little water ( $1 / 2-1$ cup). Cover with foil. Cook at 250 to 300 degrees for 5 hours or more. After 3 or 4 hours, look at the meat and baste it. Return to oven and continue cooking. Adjust oven so that meat cooks slowly.
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## MEAT LOAF (48 Servings)

| $12 \mathrm{lb} .$. ground beef | 4 medium size onions |
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| 4 eggs, beaten | $21 / 4$ tsp. salt |
| 4 cups fresh bread crumbs | 3 tsp. pepper |
|  | 3 cans tomato sauce |

Lightly mix ingredients and form a loaf. Place in shallow pan in moderate oven, 350 degrees. While its starting to bake, combine the following to make your prize-winning tart sweet gravy.

3 cans tomato sauce
8 oz . water
1 cup vinegar
1 cup brown sugar or molasses
1 cup prepared mustard
Pour over meat loaf in oven; continue baking $11 / 2$ hours longer, basting occasionally.

Anne Hawkins

## EASY CHUCK ROAST (48 Servings)

12 lb . lean chuck roast
4 pkgs. onion soup

4 cans mushroom soup Salt (optional)

Wash and prepare meat for cooking. Place roast in heavy foil. Sprinkle one half of the onion soup and half of the mushroom soup on one side of the meat. Turn meat and use the balance of ingredients. Seal foil; place roast in large casserole or iron skillet and bake at 350 degrees until done, about 5 hours or longer.

Anne Hawkins

## SPAGHETTI SAUCE (Serves 100)

10 (26 oz.) cans spaghetti sauce
22 lb . ground beef
5 medium onions
5 medium green peppers
1 Tbsp. sugar

4 oz . Worcestershire sauce Salt and pepper to taste

7 lb.. spaghetti noodles

Sauté onions and peppers in small amount of oil. Cook beef until done and brown stirring constantly. Drain off all fat. Mix together beef, sauce, peppers and onions. Season with sugar, Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper. Heat to boiling. Simmer 30 minutes.

Mary Andrews, Dale Andrews

## SWISS STEAK (100 Servings)

16 lb . ground beef
5 cups chopped onion $21 / 4$ cups bell pepper

1 \#10 cans tomatoes
21 slices bread (crumbed)
Salt and pepper to taste

Fry steak in fat until brown. Place in roasting pan and cover with remaining ingredients. Simmer at 350 degrees 2 hours or until tender.

Anne Hawkins

## TURKEY OR CHICKEN LOAF (100 Servings)

14 lb. turkey cubed
1 qt. raw rice
16 eggs (separated)
16 slices bread (cubed)

1 Ig. piece pimento (chopped)
5 cups milk
5 quarts broth
salt and pepper to taste

Cook rice (cool), separate eggs and beat separately. Mix all ingredients lightly, adding egg whites last and toss. Bake at 350 degrees 20-30 minutes. Cut in squares. Serve with favorite gravy.

Anne Hawkins

## TURKEY TETRAZZINI (100 Servings)

5 qt. turkey gravy
2 qt. cream of mushroom soup 2 tbsp. salt
1/2 tsp. pepper 1/2 cup lemon juice

4 lb. spaghetti, cooked
12 lb . cooked turkey, diced
$1 / 2$ cup chopped green pepper
$11 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. grated cheese

Add cream of mushroom soup to gravy. Add lemon juice and cook for 10 minutes. Combine drained spaghetti, gravy, diced turkey and green pepper. Pour into four ( $12 \times 20$ inch) pans and sprinkle with cheese. Bake in 350 degree oven 30 to 45 minutes.

Anne Hawkins

## REAL VEGETABLE SOUP (Serves 50)

6 lb . ground beef
$11 / 2$ heads cabbage (diced)
18 medium potatoes (diced)
12 small onions (diced)
1 No. 10 can peas
$11 / 2$ qu. tomato puree 1 tbsp. salt
$11 / 2$ tsp. pepper 6 cloves of garlic 3 gal. water

1 No. 10 can tomatoes
Make ground beef into small balls, seasoned with salt and pepper. Place beef balls in bottom of kettle. Add remaining ingredients. Cook slowly 45 minutes.

Anne Hawkins
BAKED BEANS (Serves 100)

4 gal. pork and beans 3 boxes brown sugar

1 large jar mustard 1 bag onions

Chop onions very fine. Mix all ingredients well. Bake at 375 degrees for several hours.

Decie Kenyon, Jewel Crawford, Marybelle Kirk

## CRANBERRY SALAD (Serves 80)

| 9 small Pkg. Orange Jello | 3 lg. cans crushed pineapple |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{3}$ cans whole cranberry sauce | Chopped nuts (optional) |
| (not jellied) |  |

Dissolve Jello in 9 cups boiling water as directed. Add 6 cups of cold water. Add pineapple with juice. Add cranberry sauce. Chill until set.

Frances Snipes

## FRUIT CRISP (Serves 50)

8 cups any fruit (canned or fresh)
2 cups flour
2 cups oatmeal

2 cups brown sugar
2 tsp. cinnamon
2 sticks margarine

Add fruit to 2 greased $10 \times 15$ inch pans. Mix dry ingredients and sprinkle over fruit. Pour melted margarine over dry mixture. Bake at 375 degrees for 30 to 40 minutes.
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## HAWAIIAN BEETS (50 Servings)

| 2 No. 10 cans beets | 3 cups sugar |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 No. 10 can crushed pineapple | 1 thsp. salt |
| (drained) | $1 / 2$ cup butter |
| 1 cup cornstarch | $1 / 2$ cup vinegar |

Heat juice and seasoning. (Reserve 1 cup of juice to blend with cornstarch.) Stir in cornstarch mixture and cook until mixture is glossy. Fold in beets, pineapple and butter. Heat thoroughly.

## MARSHMALLOW FRUIT SALAD (Serves 100)

| 4 lg. pkg. pkg. cream cheese | 4 \#303 mandarin orange slices |
| :--- | :---: |
| 4 lg. pkg. Angel Flake Coconut | 8 lg. pkg. miniature |
| 8 \#303 cans pineapple chunks, | marshmallows |
| well drained |  |

Have cheese soft, mix into coconut. Add pineapple and marshmallows. Add oranges last to prevent breaking. Mix the night before using.

Anne Hawkins

## POTATO SALAD (Serves 100)

| 30 lb. potatoes, diced | 6 big jars pimento |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 quarts mayonnaise | 4 dozen eggs (boiled) |
| 1 lg. jar sweet chopped pickles | 2 bunches celery |

Cook potatoes until soft and drain well. Add other ingredients mixing well. Make ahead so that ingredients can blend.
Jewel Crawford
Decie Kenyon, Marybelle Kirk

## SLAW (Serves 80)

8 heads cabbage
8 cups sugar
8 tsp. black pepper

8 tsp. salt
4 cups cider vinegar
4 cups catsup

Prepare the cabbage for slaw. Sprinkle sugar on cabbage and let sit until watery (minimum 30 minutes). Add pepper, salt, and vinegar. Add catsup (add more if needed). Chill at least 24 hours. Stir before serving. Susan Nichols

## CHERRY YUM-YUM (100 Servings)

8 cups Graham cracker crumbs 4 sticks butter 4 boxes ( 90 z .) dream whip

4 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese 4 cups milk
4 No. 303 cans cherries

Mix graham cracker crumbs and butter. Put in bottom of pan. Cover with cherries. Mix Dream Whip, cheese and milk. Put on top.

## COCONUT CAKE

Make 6 of the following to feed 100

| 1 Duncan Hines White Cake | Icing: |
| :---: | :--- |
| Mixes | $1(6$ oz.) package frozen coconut |
|  | $3 / 4$ cup sugar |
|  | $11 / 2$ cup milk |
|  | 1 container Cool Whip |

Mix cake mix as directed on box and bake in $9 \times 13$ inch pan. Top with icing while still hot.
Icing: Bring sugar, milk, and $1 / 2$ package coconut to a boil. Simmer 10 minutes. Pour over cake while cake and coconut mixture are still hot. When cool, top with Cool Whip and remaining $1 / 2$ package of coconut. Mary Andrews

## GUIDE TO QUANTITY SERVING - For 50 People

6-8 two-quart casserole dishes, with meat or fish base
6-8 medium size bowls of salad
1 quart salad dressing
5 one-pound loaves sliced bread
6 dozen rolls
7 loaves French bread
5 eight-inch layer cakes
4 oz . bulk tea to $21 / 2$ gallons water
$121 / 2$ quarts sweet milk
2 pounds coffee - when allowing 2 cups for each person
2 pounds cube sugar
1 pound granulated sugar
Coffee cream - 2 quarts homogenized milk with two 14 1/2 oz. cans evaporated milk.
4 No. 3 (46 oz.) cans fruit or vegetable juice for appetizers
5 medium size heads of lettuce for garnishes or salad base
8 medium size heads of lettuce for full salad
312 oz . bottles chili sauce to mix with 1 quart mayonnaise for Thousand Island Dressing
15-20 pounds potatoes for mashing
2 gallons punch

## Wisdom from the Past



## HOME REMEDIES AND HOUSEHOLD HINTS

The following is a careful compilation of tried and approved recipes and hints by the
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## From a cook book compiled in 1912 and submitted by Satira (Cookie) Wilson from her mother:

CROUP--Melt butter and molasses together and give until child vomits. Very easy and very sure.

FOR CROUP IN CHICKENS--Hog's lard and sulphur equal parts, or dry sulphur blown down the fowl's throat.

QUINSY--Tar spread on the throat and quite up under the ears; cover with a cloth and go to sleep, and wake up well. Only a brown stain will remain; it is easily washed off and is a sure relief. Recommended for diphtheria or scarlet fever.

TO STOP NOSE BLEEDING--Place a penny between the upper lip and teeth; hoid there a few minutes. Never fails.

RECIPE FOR QUARRELING--Take a root of sassafras and steep in a pint of water and put in a bottle and when your husband comes in to quarrel, fill your mouth with it and hold until he goes away. A sure cure.

TO BEAUTIFY THE HAIR--Put 1 ounce pulverized sulphur into 1 quart rain water, shake well every few hours, then pour liquid off and saturate the scalp every morning. Cures dandruff and falling out of hair.

CURE FOR ALCOHOLISM--In the morning before breakfast, an orange should be eaten, one about 9 o'clock, one before dinner, one before supper and one before retiring; continue for one week. The second week 4 oranges per day will be sufficient, the third week 3 and the fourth week the tippler won't be able to bear the smell of alcohol.

DISINFECTANT--Chloride of lime, as well as being a disinfectant, is useful to drive away rats from cellars.

WHEN PEELING ONIONS begin at the root end and peel upwards and the onions will scarcely affect your eyes at all.

WHEN MASHING POTATOES use hot milk, and if you have been in the habit of using cold, you will be surprised at the difference in its lightness.

NEVER ATTEMPT TO MAKE JELLY in damp or cloudy weather if firmness or clearness is desired.

TO KEEP FLIES FROM HORSES--Take twò or three handful of green walnut leaves, pour over two or three quarts of soft cold water; let stand one night, pour in a kettle and boil fifteen minutes. When cold, wet a sponge and before the horse goes out of the stable, let those parts which are most irritated be washed over with the liquid.

CHICKEN LICE--The bet remedy for lice in poultry houses is to add one pound of concentrated lye to a boiler of soap suds, and apply hot on the walls, floors and roofs of the houses. All lice and nits will then be destroyed. If the roosts are suspended by rods from the rafters and not allowed to touch the sides of the house, there will be less trouble with lice.

RHEUMATISM CURE--Five cents worth nitre potassium, twenty cents worth iodide potassium, in one pint water. Take one tablespoonful three time a day before each meal. If followed as directed will cure without fail.

TO STOP HICCOUGHS--Put a few drops of good, cider vinegar on a lump of sugar. Let dissolve in mouth.

RULE FOR STAINS--A good standing rule for stains should be tacked up on the wall of every kitchen. Use hot water and no soap for all fruit stains. Use cold water and soap for tea, coffee and cocoa stains. A little though and knowledge along this line would save an immense lot of trouble and result in better looking table linen.

## HOW TO PRESERVE A HUSBAND

Be careful in your selection; do not choose too young, and take only such as have been reared in a good moral atmosphere. Some insist on keeping them in a pickle, while others keep them in hot water. This only makes them sour, hard and sometimes bitter. Even poor varieties may be made sweet, tender and good by garnishing them with patience, well sweetened with smiles and flavored with kisses to taste; then wrap them in a mantel of charity, keep warm with a steady fire of domestic devotion and serve with peaches and cream. When thus prepared they will keep for years.

## BREAD

"But tho' so much of learning had been crammed into her head, She couldn't for the life of her compound a load of bread."

When a well-bred girl expects to wed, 'tis well to remember that men like bread,
We're going to show the steps to take, So she may learn good bread to make.

First, mix a luke warm quart, my daughter, One-half of milk and one-half of water; To this please add two cakes of yeast, Or the liquid kind if preferred in the least.

Next stir in a teaspoonful of nice clear salt, If this bread isn't good, it won't be our fault, Now add the sugar, tablespoonfuls three, Mix well together, for dissolved they must be.

Pour the whole mixture into an earthen bowl, A pan's just as good, if it hasn't a hold
It's the cook and the flour, not the bowl or the pan,
That "makes the bread that makes the man."

Some people like a little shortening power, If this is your choice, just add to the flour
Two tablespoonfuls of lard, and jumble it about, 'till the flour and lard are mixed without doubt.

Next stir the flour into the mixture that's stood Waiting to play its part to make the bread good, Mix it up thoroughly, but not too thick; Some flours make bread that's more like a brick.

Now grease well a bowl and put the dough in, Don't fill the bowl full, that would be a sin;
For the dough is all right and it's going to rise, 'Till you will declare that it's twice the old size.

Brush the dough with melted butter; as the recipes say;
Cover with a bread towel, wet in a warm place to stay
Two hour or more, to rise until light,
When you see it grow, you'll know it's all right
As soon as it's light, place again on the board;
Knead it well this time. Here is knowledge to hoard.
Now back in the bowl once more it must go.
And set again to rise for an hour or so.
Form the dough gently into loaves when light.
And place it in bread pans, greased just right.
Shape each loaf you make to half fill the pan,
This bread will be good enough for any young man.
Next let it rise to the level of pans--no more,
Have the temperature right--don't set near a door.
We must be careful about draughts, it isn't made to freeze,
Keep the room good and warm--say seventy-two degrees
Now put in the oven; it's ready to bake;
Keep uniform fire, great results are at stake.
One hour more of waiting and you'll be repaid
By bread that is worthy a "well-bred maid."
"We may live without poetry, music and art;
We may live without conscience and live without heart, We may live without friends, we may live without books, But civilized men cannot live without cooks.
He may live without books--what is knowledge but grieving?
He may live without love--what is passion but pining?
He may live without hope--what is hope but deceiving?
But where is the man that can live without dining?"
--Owen Meredith.

## RECIPE FOR A HAPPY DAY

Take a little dash of cold water, A little leaven of prayer, A little bit of sunshine gold Dissolve in morning air. Add to your meal some merriment Add thought for kith and kin, And then, as a prime ingredient, A plenty of work thrown in. Flavor it all with essence of love And a dash of play.
Let the dear old Book, and a glance above Complete the well-spend day.


## SUBSTITUTION CHART

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## GENERAL OVEN CHART

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| Hot Oven |
| Very Hot Oven |

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